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MAINE ALUMNUS

UNIVERSITY OF MAINE

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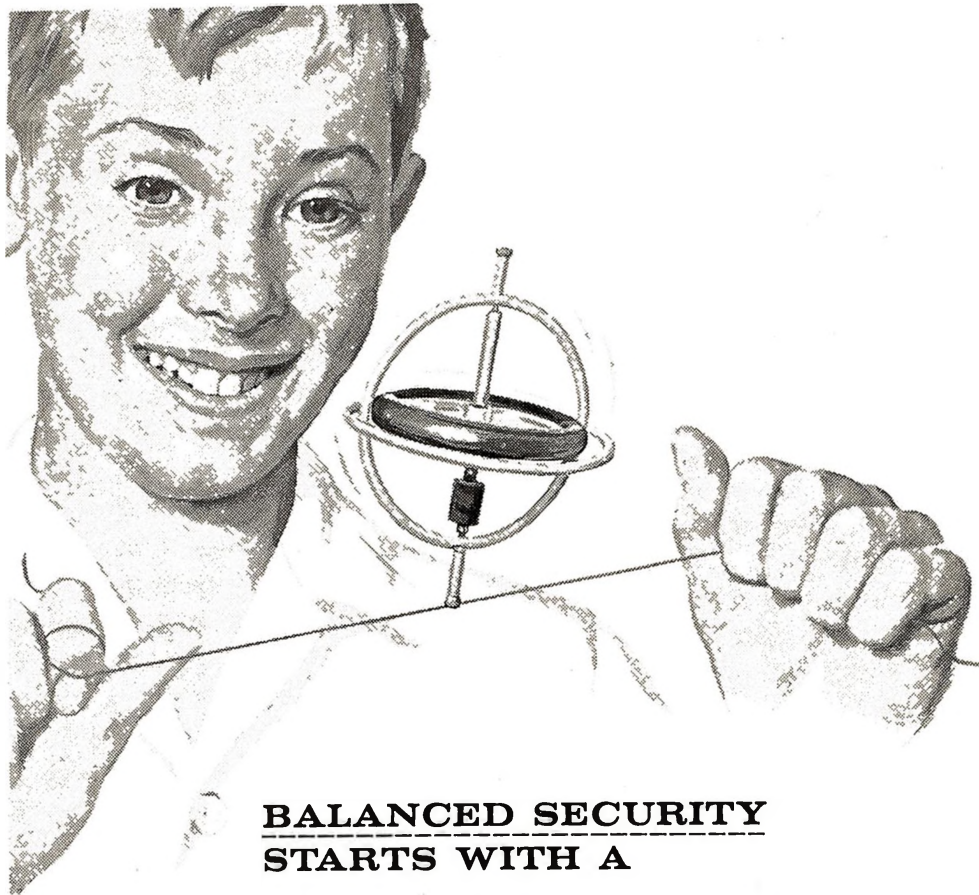
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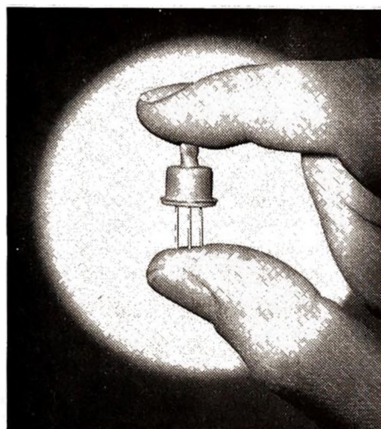
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T. Russell Woolley '41

Orono
March 1, 1960

Dear Fellow Alumni:

I have taken this space in our March issue of the Maine Alumnus to say "Hello" from Orono because I have recently arrived here to begin my duties as Executive Director of the General Alumni Association.

I believe that when a person commences a new undertaking it is required of him that he say what he intends to do, which will in any fashion aid others, and also to tell himself honestly what qualifications he may think he has which will make his efforts the kind likely to succeed. He should bare his soul to his associates, family, friends and business relatives and then attempt to bear the consequences of his inquiry into himself. I wish to create, with many other persons, a much-less-than-modest picture of the University of Maine, honestly

visualizing it as a strong educational force benefiting our nation as well as the State of Maine. I hope that our efforts will never be minimized. I cherish the conviction that the University will grow in size and significance both as a community of faculty and students and as an institution necessary to the whole welfare of the State. I deeply believe that it is necessary for education to serve the future by unstinting contributions to the lives of young people. The State of Maine should watch many more of its boys and girls attend college. Our public-supported university can do so much more than to sit on the sidelines and cheer. It is a huge task for the taxpayer of the State, and it is a necessity also that the united alumni body support the work of President Lloyd Elliott and his administration. Standards can be raised, and the job will be done. My qualifications are humble ones in the face of that aspiration, but my confidence is certain.

Don Taverner, as your previous Executive Director, has done a splendid job, having had tremendous support from Maine Alumni, from the Alumni Council and from the University's administration. His eight years in this office were a most fortunate period of time in the whole history of Alumni partnership which has fostered a spirit of loyalty and fraternity among us during a total time of eighty-five years.

Your new Executive Director needs and desires the support of Maine graduates and former students to effect united action in promoting education and the welfare of the University. In return for that support which I ask, please accept my promise to serve in all meaningful ways possible to carry out your wishes. Thank you for the opportunity to serve you in this office. It is a privilege to be working with you. Let me know your thoughts and plans, so that we may succeed in our work.

Cordially,

T. Russell Woolley '41
Executive Director

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New Dorm Cornerstone Placed

Lloyd H. Elliott, President, is assisted by Raymond H. Fogler '15, president of the board of trustees and Edith Wilson, Dean of Women, in laying the cornerstone of the new women's dormitory on the University campus in Orono.

Sealed within the cornerstone is a copper box containing mementos of 1959 and 1960.

Included are coins of the realm, University of Maine bulletin, University bulletin of

graduate study, University bulletin of introduction to Maine, University time schedule, University information for faculty, student directory, faculty and staff directory, information for the guidance of students, regulations pertaining to women's residence halls, handbook for freshmen ("Bear Tracks 1963"), the rushee's handbook by the Panhellenic Council; bulletin—welcome to the University of Maine; and University weekly calendar dated January 15, 1960.

The University

New Budget Announced

University trustees adopted a record-breaking operating budget of \$9,796,000 Wednesday after hearing reports of a possible total enrollment of 4,500 students next September at the Orono and Portland campuses of the State University.

President Lloyd H. Elliott said the state will provide \$3,442,000 toward this budget or about one-third of the total. The balance will come from tuition and fees paid by students and from other sources.

The budget, covering the fiscal year extending from July 1, 1960, to June 30, 1961, exceeds the current operating budget by 10 per cent.

Approval of the budget was made possible, he said, "because of the increased support received from the last legislature and from the tuition and board-and-room increases for next year adopted by the trustees in November."

The budget provides \$3,283,000 for resident instruction (the teaching of 4,150 students at Orono and 350 at Portland); \$1,536,000 for research and services, largely in agriculture but also including projects in other fields, particularly for industry; \$736,000 for the agricultural extension program; \$2,213,000 for the general operation of the University, including the operation and maintenance of the plant, and funds for such purposes as the library, scholarships, and general administrative expenses; \$105,000 for special items, such as the completion of the Memorial Student Union Building and a dairy facility at the Orono campus; \$1,643,000 for the operation of the dormitory system; and \$280,000 for the Memorial Student Union Building.

President Elliott said the 10 per cent increase in the operating budget (including the tuition and board-and-room raises) was necessary if stepped-up enrollment were to be accommodated at both campuses. The increase in budget was also necessitated by increased costs brought about by inflation, salary increases averaging about five per cent, the allotment of small sums to help meet deficiencies in several areas, and increased payments on building loans.

Noting that the University does not try to compete with industry in the matter of salaries, President Elliott said it was imperative that some effort be made to keep faculty salaries somewhere near those paid by nearby sister institutions and not too far out of line with the national average for land-grant (publicly supported) universities.

Industry Heads To Meet

At Maine

The University will be the site for a Service to Industry Conference on May 6, Dean Weston S. Evans '18, head of the College of Technology, said here Saturday.

Representatives of Maine's business and industrial firms will attend the conference which is designed to show how the State University through its Department of Industrial Cooperation can provide facilities and personnel for basic and applied research and a variety of services.

The conference will be sponsored by the State Department of Economic Development, Associated Industries of Maine, Maine Association of Engineers, Maine Society of Professional Engineers, and the University.

Dean Evans, speaking at a meeting of the Maine Association of Engineers, said the conference program will include several speakers who will outline the many ways in which the University can handle research work and provide other services for Maine business and industrial firms.

MAINE

ALUMNI ATTENTION!

Notice is hereby given that the following matter pertaining to changes in the Constitution and By-Laws of the General Alumni Association will receive discussion and/or be voted upon at the June 4, 1960 Annual Meeting of the Association in Orono:

The Invitation to membership in the General Alumni Association to the alumni of the former Portland Junior College (now the University of Maine in Portland) will be extended individually to each alumnus, and if accepted, the alumnus will be placed on the rolls of the General Alumni Association.

Editor's note: This is the second of a series of features designed to explain the vast body of service work for the community, the state and nation constantly being undertaken at the University.

THE PROGRAM of the College of Education here at the University is unique in the area of service work because the production of qualified public school teachers in itself must be considered an important service to the state and nation. With the population explosion becoming more apparent within our own boundaries, and with the international space race dramatizing the increasing need for more and better education for our young people, it is obvious that a continuing shortage of well prepared educators could have disastrous result.

That the College of Education is keeping pace with the needs and demands of our present day society is indicated by the enrollment statistics for the years 1947 through 1959. In this period, the enrollment in "Education" has increased by nearly seven hundred percent. From a mere 118 students in 1947, the college has swelled to the present enrollment of 781.

Although present facilities are strained almost to the maximum, the new College of Education building provided for by the recently approved bond issue, will handle almost double the present enrollment. It is expected that this building will be ready for use by February, 1962.

Staff On Constant Call

Perhaps the most direct service to communities within the state is provided by the teaching staff of the college, who are in constant demand as consultants to help

towns and cities with their special and general problems. In some cases, College of Education personnel make population and curriculum studies to determine future educational needs of a community and assist in planning of new school plants. The faculty also serve as reading consultants, and often help in the establishment of new testing programs. In recent years over two dozen complete school surveys have been made.

In great demand as speakers for PTA and other civic groups, the Education faculty render a public service by helping to improve the public's understanding of educational problems and their interpretations.

In the area of educational research, some work is being done at the University although the present staff and facilities are not adequate for as intensive a program as needed. Plans are being made to expand and strengthen the research program when the new College of Education building is ready for use.

The Summer Session

The summer session, although used by regular students as a means of accelerating their programs, is designed mainly to provide an opportunity for educators and school administrators to broaden their professional backgrounds or commence work for advanced degrees. This six weeks session which had an enrollment of 783 in 1947 has, in the last three years nearly tripled in size. It is the largest summer school in the northeastern area of the United States.

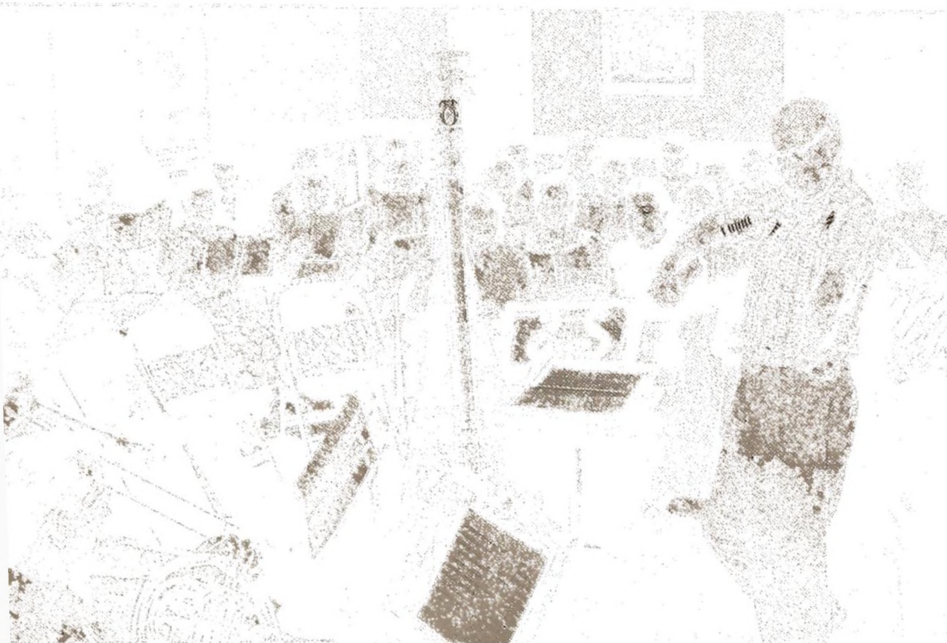
The staff consists of resident members of the regular faculty in addition to many visiting members from other colleges and universities throughout the country. This faculty, together with nationally-known educators and authors in specialized fields of education, provide an outstanding faculty group.

The summer session is held primarily for the benefit of Maine teachers, but it is becoming known throughout the country. Last summer people came from forty-one states and seven foreign countries to visit the session. In some cases, these out-of-state visitors, attracted by a summer in Maine, have remained to work in the state or to study for advanced degrees.

In addition to the regular courses in the Colleges of Education and Arts and Sciences offered at the session, there are such two weeks courses available as the Workshop in Music, the Coastal Natural Science Education Course (at Deer Isle), and the Inland Natural Science Education Course

The door to Education. This photo of a student entering South Stevens for a class in the College of Education will soon be a scene from the past. Ground is already being prepared in anticipation of the new building which will house the College of Education just East of South Stevens. It is expected that the new building will be ready for occupancy in 1962.

A music workshop means work. In the photo below, Professor Niven of the Music Department directs a group of music teachers at a summer school workshop. Most of these summer students will be taking back to the communities in which they work, the benefit of what they have learned by doing.



(Bryant Pond). Also held during the session are a number of conferences such as the Elementary School Principals, State PTA, Guidance Directors, and Schoolhouse Construction Conferences.

The General Extension Division

The General Extension Division is an adult education program which is available to professional and non-professional people within the state. Extension courses are offered in three ways: 1) Correspondence course; 2) Off Campus—extension classes conducted off the campus; and 3) Saturday Centers—extension classes conducted in designated areas of the state.

In 1947 only five off-campus courses were offered. This year there are 166 courses available, and approximately 3300 people taking advantage of the program. The growth of the Extension Division has been qualitative as well as quantitative. In the beginning of the program courses offered were mostly in the field of Education; now, over eighty percent of the courses are in the humanities. Today's more varied program has broadened the quality of our public school teachers' backgrounds.

Instructors in the Extension Division are drawn from the regular staff, but additional personnel are enlisted from other colleges within the state or from among other highly qualified professional people.

It is not expected that the Extension program will grow considerably within the coming years, but it is assumed that it will continue at its present level.

Correspondence courses offered by the Extension Division are intended primarily to serve the more remote areas of the state where people would have difficulty travelling to the centers or other extension classes.

Audio Visual Film Service

The Audio Visual Department which provides films, operators, projectors and public address systems for on-campus events, has a large film library which supplies films for schools on a rental basis. Over 2100 films were rented or supplied during 1958.

Teacher Placement Service

As a service for its graduates and the school systems in the state, the College of Education operates a teacher placement service. Last year the service received nearly 3000 requests for teachers. Approximately 400 requests were for elementary teachers, 2300 for high school, and 240 for college positions. As a result of these inquiries, 97 elementary, 212 high school, and 7 college teachers were placed. From this number 221 were placed in Maine and 95 out of state.

In 1947 placement services dealt only with seniors within the college, but today the service has a follow up program of placement of Maine graduates who are teaching from coast to coast. What began as a small part time project has developed into a full time program.

The Future Outlook

The College of Education has been growing with the times. As the tremendous number of school age children has mushroomed in recent years, the demand for teachers and educational services has grown accordingly.

Originally, the work of preparing teachers for secondary schools was accomplished in a department within the College of Arts and Sciences. In 1930, a School of Education serving juniors and seniors was developed. This two-year institution had an enrollment of 114 in 1947 when the present Dean, Dr. Mark R. Shibles, came to Maine. In 1952, the program was enlarged to prepare elementary teachers and a year later the school became a four-year institution. In 1958, the School of Education became known as the College of Education.

The College is accredited by the National Council of Accreditation of Teacher Education, and is the only College in the state to have national accreditation.

With its enrollment growing almost twice as fast as any other segment of the University, it is obvious that with the completion of the new building, the present enrollment of nearly 800 will more than double within a few years.

Exploring the shoreline at Goose Cove, Deer Isle, is a group of biology teachers enrolled in the summer school's Coastal Natural Science Course. Work consists mainly of field studies with related library assignments. In addition to lectures, workshops, and films, the course includes field trips by car and sailboat. Students live during the session in cottages overlooking the ocean.

There's always the international touch at a summer session. Here, below, Vice President of the University, Charles E. Crossland '17 talks things over with a group of visiting students from France.



The Hauck Fund Reports

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18 January 1960

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Mr. Thomas G. Mangan
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Orono, Maine

Dear Tom:

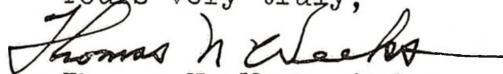
It being the new year and all, I have been thinking about my activities and commitments. The recent arrival of the latest brochure on the Hauck Building Fund made me realize that we Maine alumni have quite a ways to go in this important project for the University.

When the Hauck Building Fund was opened, I made what I felt, at the time, was a sizable pledge, and now I have that pledge completely paid. Since I solidly believe in this project, and realize the need, I do feel I can, and should, make an additional pledge to the Fund, to be paid over the next two or three years. Please find this second pledge enclosed.

Tom, I am sure that there must be literally hundreds of Maine alumni, like myself, who have paid their pledges to the Hauck Fund, and who would not be financially handicapped by making a second pledge in some amount. The University does seriously need the Auditorium, and I can think of no finer way in which to honor Dr. Hauck.

I do hope that many of our alumni whose initial pledges are paid, or nearly paid, will consider making an additional pledge. I know that it gives me a wonderful feeling of satisfaction and pleasure to do so, and I want to see this project completed and in use in my lifetime.

Yours very truly,


Thomas N. Weeks '16

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Ralph A. Wilkins '19

AT A MEETING of the Bird and Son Board of directors on January 11th, Ralph A. Wilkins '19 was elected Executive Vice President and a member of the Executive Committee.

Mr. Wilkins has been vice president of the Paper Products Division of Bird & Son, Inc., since 1946. A native of Salem, Massachusetts, he joined the company in 1923 as assistant superintendent of the Paper Mill. He was named paper mill superintendent in 1930 and general superintendent of the Paper, Box and Carton Divisions five years later. In January of 1946 he was appointed manufacturing manager, moving to the post of vice president upon reorganization of the company in August of that same year. The following March he was elected to the Board of Directors. In 1958 he was elected president of the George W. Dinsmoor Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of Bird & Son. He is also a director of W. J. Hill, Inc.

In addition to his executive duties within the company, Mr. Wilkins has been very active in paper and fibre box associations. He is treasurer of the University of Maine Pulp and Paper Foundation, a member of the Executive Committee of the Fibre Conservation Corporation, and a director of both the Fibre Box Association and the Eastern Conservation Committee of the Wastepaper Consuming Industries.

The Wilkins' live at 2 Park Lane, East Walpole. Their daughter, Janice, a lawyer, is clerk of the Walpole Board of Selectmen, serving her 7th term, parliamentarian for the Alumnae Council of Colby Junior College, and secretary-treasurer of the Western Norfolk County Bar Association.

Dan Chase '08 Directs European Tour

The Transmarine Tours, Inc., of New York have announced a European Tour, including a visit at the Olympic Games in Rome, leaving in August under the guidance of Dan Chase '08. The outstanding career

Ralph A. Wilkins Elected Executive Vice President, Bird And Son

of Mr. Chase can best be summed up by quoting excerpts from the Congressional Record, Proceedings and Debates of the 86th Congress, First Session:

"Mr. Daniel Chase is a graduate of the University of Maine and a Phi Beta Kappa. He was formerly chief of the Bureau of Physical Education of the State of New York, now Executive Director of the New York City Park Association, has been Director of Athletics for Hamilton College, Connecticut State College, lectured on Physical Education and Recreation at Cornell, Columbia, Springfield, Cortlandt State Teachers, Battle Creek, etc.

In organizational work he started the New York Statewide Physical Ability Test, the first State Tournaments in basketball, track, tennis and skating. He was first President of the New York State High Schools' Athletic Association and organized the New York City Baseball Federation (sandlot).

He was chief motivator of the Sportsmanship Brotherhood, dedicated to spreading the Doctrine of Fair Play and Human Decency on an international scale, and has devoted his life to developing American youth through sports to building character and ideals for successful living.

Mr. Chase's wife, Alice, will accompany him on the tour.



Paul I. Knight '35

Bird & Son also announces the appointment of Paul I. Knight '35 of Seekonk as manager of the Felt Division.

Mr. Knight, a native of Maine, joined Bird & Son in 1935 after graduating from the University with a B.S. degree in Chemical Engineering. Starting at the East Walpole laboratory, he soon became foreman of the

Beater Room. Named assistant to the general superintendent in 1941, he became assistant superintendent of the Paper Division in 1946 and was advanced to superintendent of the Phillipsdale, R. I. Felt Mill in June, 1947.

Mr. and Mrs. Knight and their three children live in Seekonk. The oldest daughter, Anne, is a sophomore at Syracuse University; Jane, 13, attends Seekonk Junior High School and Rosemary, 7, is in grammar school. Mr. Knight is a member and former Secretary-Treasurer of the Association of East Providence Industries.



Donald Stewart '35

The appointment of Donald Stewart '35, as director of the public relations division of United Community Funds and Councils of America was announced Monday, January 11, 1960, by Ralph H. Blanchard, executive director of the national association serving 2100 United Community Campaigns in the United States and Canada.

Mr. Stewart joined the organization's staff in 1951 as media director and was made an associate director of the public relations division in 1957. He succeeds Henry Weber, former public relations director, who recently was named an associate executive director of the national association.

Before joining United Community Funds and Councils of America, Mr. Stewart was public relations director of the Community Chest and Council of Bridgeport, Connecticut. Prior to that he worked in publishing with F. S. Crofts Company of New York and Little, Brown Company, Boston, Mass.

Mr. Stewart resides with his wife and two daughters in Milford, Connecticut.

Maine Teams Win Two State Titles

Bears Win 14, Lose 2

MAINE'S BASKETBALL TEAM, after winning fourteen without defeat, had their streak halted by Connecticut on February 12th. The following night at Rhode Island, Maine again went down to defeat to a strong Rhode Island team.

In the game with Connecticut, Maine kept the score within two or three points much of the time. With only a few minutes remaining, the U Conns took a seven point lead and began to play slow control ball to preserve their advantage. In desperate attempts at stealing the ball, Maine men committed fouls, and at the end the tally read, Connecticut 91, Maine 79.

Many on campus are still wondering what happened at Rhode Island. In the last quarter, Maine held a twelve point lead until Rhode Island began to close the gap and Maine men began to leave the game on fouls. For the first time this year, Skip Chappelle left via the foul route (after scoring 36 points), and for the second time in his career Wayne Champeon was ousted for too many fouls.

On February 6th, prior to their first defeat, Maine met and defeated Connecticut in a game that will long be remembered at Orono. Seeing a fair lead dwindle in the last minutes of play, Maine suddenly was faced with a one point deficit and one minute to go in the game. It was then that Don Sturgeon was fouled by a Connecticut player and stepped up to the line. As cool as an ice-cake he dropped in both foul shots to put Maine in the lead 75-74, and that's the way the game ended to the relief of over three thousand fans at Memorial Gym and countless of television viewers.

In the game before this, Maine easily defeated Yankee Conference opponents New Hampshire at Orono on February 9th. This same night Maine won the first outright state series championship in ten years when Bowdoin defeated Colby. Maine now is 6 won, none lost in series play, with one game each scheduled against the other state teams.

In Yankee Conference play Maine's record is 4 won, and 2 lost. A clean sweep in the remaining games gives Maine a good chance for a conference title. The last two games at Massachusetts may prove to be critical. (March 4 and 5.)

Freshmen Show Promise

Although it may seem a little premature to be thinking of next season now, the great performance of this year's freshman team leads one into speculation. From a varsity team which has won two championships and a national rating at the halfway mark, only two men, *Maurice Dore* and *Dick Sturgeon*, will be lost by graduation from the starting five. Although the loss of these men will be felt, the rest of the regulars and the strength of the bench will leave a formidable team. Add to this a number of exceptional players from the freshman team which has won 11 in a row and you have quite a team to contemplate. And if this is not enough, the University of Maine at Portland will be sending up several rangy and skillful basketballers.

These bright prospects come at a most appropriate time since Maine has applied to the NCAA for permission to be moved up to the "major" division. If this application is approved by the NCAA, it will mean Maine will have to schedule more "name" teams in the collegiate big leagues of basketball. In this event, the team cannot have too many capable players from which to draw its first line talent.

The Garden In '61

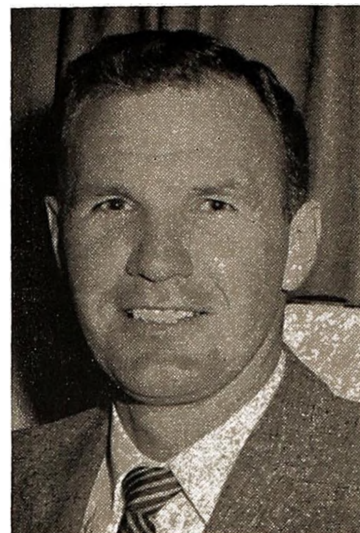
The University has received an invitation to meet Manhattan College in basketball at Madison Square Garden in New York City next season.

Ted Curtis, faculty manager of athletics, said that the game would be on Saturday night, Jan. 7, as part of one of the Garden's collegiate doubleheaders.

"Such an invitation means real recognition of the great performances by our team this season," he said. "It would be a real honor for the team if it could make the trip."

Maine currently owns a 14-2 record this season. All of the members of the Black Bear starting five will be back next season, along with members of the undefeated freshman club which means Maine should have another strong team in the 1960-61 campaign.

Mr. Curtis noted that Maine had never played a game in Madison Square Garden before.



Brian McCall, A Success Story

BASKETBALL COACH *Brian McCall*, in his second year at Maine, has guided his teams to the best records ever posted by a University basketball squad. Brian's first season as Black Bear mentor produced Maine's best record in history—a 15-7 record and a tie for the State Series championship and second place finish in the Yankee Conference. Maine's YC position last year was the highest ever attained by a Maine team and in the State Series the Bears had the best record for a Maine team in nine seasons.

The 1958-59 record included a five-game winning streak and a seven-game victory skein. The Bears gained national prominence among the small colleges in the land by ranking second in "fewest personal fouls committed per game" with an average of 13.7 per contest. The Bears' tremendous efforts also brought out the best attendance figure in years as over 32,000 watched Maine perform in 11 home games.

Winning seasons are not new to Brian, however. Before coming to Maine, his teams posted a record of 87 wins and 32 losses in Ohio high school ranks.

Brian was born in E. Palestine, Ohio, where he played football, basketball and track at E. Palestine High. After serving for four years overseas with the U. S. Navy during World War II, he entered Baldwin-Wallace College in Cleveland. He transferred to Dayton U. at the end of his sophomore year.

Brian starred in basketball for Dayton under Coach Tom Blackburn during his senior year. He was named captain of the team and was chosen its most valuable player by his teammates. He established an all-time school scoring record for one season during the year.

After receiving his B.S. degree from Dayton in 1949, he accepted a coaching position at Marmion Military Academy in Aurora, Ill. He remained there one year,

moving to Ohio State University in the fall of 1950 to study for his master's degree which he received in health and physical education in 1951.

His next assignment took him to Cathedral Latin High in Cleveland. Under his leadership, Cathedral Latin teams prospered. In one two-year span, from 1955-57, they won 40 out of 44 games. His 1956-57 team was undefeated in regular season play and lost only in tournament action for a 23-1 record.

Brian finished his high school coaching career with a one-year assignment at Willoughby North High School in Willoughby, O., during the 1957-58 school year.

Brian is married and he and his charming wife, Kathy, have four young McCalls, Keven 8, Mary Ann 7, Patty Jo 5, and Sheila 3.

Judo Team Downs Dow

The Maine Judo team defeated Dow Air Force Base on February 13th at Memorial Gym.

Maine swept both places in the 180 lbs.-under and 160 lbs.-under classes to win while the Dow team won in the unlimited and the 140 lbs.-under classes.

The results:

Unlimited weight class: 1, Smith (Dow), 2, Breco (Dow).

180 lbs.-under: 1, Marceau (Maine), 2, Baker (Maine).

160 lbs.-under: 1, Farrar (Maine), 2, Kenney (Maine).

140 lbs.-under: 1, Miles (Dow), 2, Stone (Maine).

Maine Wins State Ski Championship

THE SKI TEAM under the guidance of Ted Curtis '23 is off to a good start this season even with one of the best skiers, Charlie Akers, at Squaw Valley as a member of the U. S. Olympic Squad. On February 5th and 6th at the Dartmouth Winter Carnival, Maine placed fifth against strong competition.

At the Colby Winter Carnival a week later, the Maine snow bears emerged victorious and annexed the state championship. This is the second state title in a row for Ted Curtis' team and the 23rd win out of 28 contests.

In this meet Maine won the international meet as well as the state championship. (Also competing in addition to Colby and Bowdoin was the University of New Brunswick.)

Top man for Maine was Bert Russell who won three out of four events and scoring 390.6 points out of a possible 400. He was also awarded the Skimeister award as the best all around skier of the meet. In achieving this, he was pressed hard by one of his

own ski-mates, Dan Gatz who scored 388.9 points out of 400.

Two meets are scheduled for March, the Norwich Carnival on March 4th and 5th, and the Golden Skis at Dedham on March 13th.

Rifle Team Wins

Yankee Crown

Maine's varsity rifle team sharpshooting at Durham, New Hampshire, recently defeated Vermont, Connecticut, New Hampshire, and Rhode Island Universities to win the Yankee Conference Rifle Championship.

Scores for the match were as follows:

Me.	1396
Conn.	1388
Vt.	1377
R. I.	1370

The next match for the team will be at Bowdoin on the 27th of February. On March 4th the squad will shoot in the Northeastern Rifle League shoot-off. If they win this one, they will move on to the Sectional meet in Boston on March 12th.

The team members who participated in the Yankee Conference Meet were:

Captain John Almond '61, Thomas Staples '60, Alfred Madigo '60, Richard Labresque '62, Merton Brown '62.

Alumnus Named Coach of Year



Photo by: Carroll Hall, Bangor Daily News

Coach of the Year, Bernard Parady '53 receives his award from Bill Warner of the Bangor Daily News at the recent Sports Award Dinner.

HONORED AT THE *Bangor Daily News* annual Sports Award Dinner as state high school Coach of the Year was Bernard (Bunny) Parady '53. As coach of Mt. Desert High School in Northeast Harbor, "Bun" has achieved a remarkable rec-

ord. For the past two years, his team has won the Class S state championship and has an overall record of 87 wins and 29 losses.

As a coach, teacher, and director of the summer recreation program Bernard has won the admiration and respect of his adopted community, the Town of Mt. Desert. A copy of a telegram sent to Owen Osborne of the *Bangor Daily News* from the people of the town, reads as follows: "To Owen Osborne—We the people of Northeast Harbor believe there is no other coach or teacher more deserving of the honor being bestowed by the *Bangor Daily News* than our Bernard Parady. We know that any boy who has received the benefit of his teaching, coaching, and counseling will have the best. We congratulate him on the honor being given tonight. Signed—Mount Desert High School Parents and Friends."

In a letter to the *Alumnus*, Principal of Mt. Desert High School, Don E. Coates, expressed the following sentiments: "Bernard Parady is a high calibre young man. He came to Mount Desert High School six years ago as physical education instructor and coach. During that time he has distinguished himself both as a coach and a teacher. His teams have reached the Eastern Maine Small School Tournament six years, have reached the finals four of the six years, and were state champions two of the years. I have seen him grow as a teacher and as a person. He is an excellent influence on the youth of the community. His contributions to Mount Desert High School and to the Town of Mount Desert will long be remembered."

In the summer months, "Bun" is director of an extremely active recreation program which handles children from the ages of four to twelve years from the five villages in the Town of Mt. Desert. Having been instrumental in the development and direction of this highly successful youth program, Bernard and his staff supervise nearly a hundred children daily in activities ranging from arts and crafts, to sports and swimming.

Also honored at the Award Dinner were Miss Marion Rogers, Director of the Women's Physical Education Department, and University Track Coach Edmund Styrna.

Basketball Books

Available

The Publicity Department informs us that the 36 page basketball booklet, giving vital statistics of all the players, coach, and managers, and records, new and old, is selling well. If you want to obtain one of these books, send fifty cents to the Publicity Department, University of Maine, and your copy will be mailed to you.

Three Win Senior Alumni Scholarships

THREE OUTSTANDING STUDENTS have been selected as recipients of the 1960 Senior Alumni Scholarship. The students are *Raymond Weed* '61 of Stonington, Maine; *James Stevens* '61 of Gorham, Maine; and *Lorraine Stubbs* '62 of Hampden Highlands, Maine.

Raymond Weed, a member of Delta Tau Delta, was active in sports at Stonington High School, and at Maine played both freshman and varsity baseball as a center fielder. He is enrolled in the College of Education with a major in Biology and a minor in English.

James Stevens while attending Gorham High School was Vice President of his class for three years, President of the National Honor Society, acted as Basketball and Baseball manager, was President of the Pilgrim Fellowship Youth Group, and was co-manager of the school yearbook.

At Maine he belonged to the Student Senate, and in addition to having been manager of the Freshman Basketball team, has been manager of the Varsity team for two seasons. He is enrolled in the College of Education and majors in mathematics, with a minor in chemistry.

Lorraine Stubbs attended Hampden Academy and was active in dramatics, debating

and the Library Club. Her other activities there included work on the school paper, editing the school yearbook and membership in the National Honor Society.

Living off campus at her home in Hampden Highlands, her interests have been confined mainly to membership in the Off Campus Women's Club and the American Chemical Society. Enrolled in the College of Arts and Sciences, she is majoring in Chemistry.

The Senior Alumni Scholarship Fund

This fund, now amounting to \$7,264.86 (plus accrued interest), was established in 1947 by the Senior Alumni Association as a gift to the University of Maine Foundation. Three scholarships of \$150 each are awarded annually to worthy students selected by the President of the University and the University Scholarship Committee.

The Senior Alumni Association

The Senior Alumni Association is composed of Alumni whose graduating class is more than fifty years from the present year. The object of the Society is to promote good fellowship among its members, and by its influence to endeavor to advance the interests of the University.

All alumni, graduates and non-graduates, who have been out of the University fifty years or more are considered members of the Society, and the payment of dues is not considered a requisite for membership.

The Association holds annual meetings for business and the election of officers during the Commencement season. Special meetings are called by the President with the concurrence to the Vice President and Secretary-Treasurer.

Officers of the Association

The officers of the association for 1959-60 are:

President—*Mr. A. P. Wyman* '07 of 112 Mayflower Hill Drive, Waterville, Maine.

First Vice President—*Mr. Henry W. Bearce* '06 of Hebron, Maine.

Second Vice President—*Mr. William J. Ricker* '05 of Turner, Maine.

Secretary-Treasurer—*Mr. Leslie E. Little* '04 of Box 403, Bucksport, Maine.

Executive Committee—*Mr. Emerson P. Lambe* '07 of 37 Knox St., Thomaston, Maine; *Mr. William A. Cobb* '08 of P. O. Box 25, Belfast, Maine; *Mr. Earle N. Vickery* '08 of 12 Libby St., Pittsfield, Maine.

Senior Alumni Spur Research Foundation

During the past year the Senior Alumni have supported the organizing of an Engineering Research Foundation. In June of 1959 a resolution to this effect was presented at the annual meeting of the General Alumni Association and voted that a committee be appointed to consider the matter. The General Alumni Association has suggested that this is a matter for consideration by the director of development, Donald V. Taverner '43, former executive director of the General Alumni Association.

Past Presidents

The thirteen presidents of the Association have given outstanding service. They are: *George H. Hamlin* '73, 1936-41; *John S. Williams* '87, 1942-43; *Ralph Marsh* '88, 1943; *John W. Hatch* '88, 1944; *Thomas Lord* '88, 1944-46; *Harry M. Smith* '93, 1946-48; *Harold S. Boardman* '95, 1948-50; *A. D. T. Libby* '98, 1950-53; *William A. Murray* '99, 1953-55; *Arthur E. Silver* '02, 1955-57; *Frederick J. Simmonds* '06, 1957-58; *Emerson P. Lambe* '07, 1958-59; and *A. P. Wyman* '07, current president.

Senior Alumni Active

Among the members of the senior association are some of the most active alumni in the General Alumni Association. Truly exemplifying the saying, "You're as young as you feel," the Senior Alumni Association members have shown the drive and energy needed to promote a forward looking program. Their devotion to the cause of University progress shows that they have the true "Maine" spirit; and they deserve the thanks of the alumni and student body for their unceasing efforts.

At a recent meeting at the Memorial Union, Senior Alumni Scholarship recipients Lorraine Stubbs, James Stevens, and Raymond Weed pose with Senior Alumni President A. P. Wyman '07, and Leslie E. Little '04, Secretary-Treasurer of the Association.



Auburn-Lewiston Alumnae

On January 20 the Auburn-Lewiston Alumnae met at the home of *Julie (Shores '49) Hahnel* of Lewiston.

The guest and speaker at this meeting was *David Clarkson*, a Bates College Senior, who described his experiences in Denmark where he was an exchange student. He illustrated his talk with a showing of colored slides.

Portland Alumnae

The Portland Chapter of University of Maine Women held a meeting on February 4 at the University of Maine Cafeteria in Portland.

Mr. Donald Lee of Hi Vue Salon gave an interesting hair styling demonstration.

Norma Jean Smaha '54, president, conducted the business meeting.

Penobscot Valley Alumni

The Penobscot Valley Alumni held a meeting on February 15 at the Memorial Union Building on campus in Orono.

T. Russell Woolley '41, alumni executive director, spoke to the group and this was the new director's first appearance at an alumni meeting since taking office in February.

Edwin H. Bates '37, president, organized the meeting and new officers were elected as follows: *Stephen Macpherson, Jr.*, '48, president; *Herbert A. Leonard '39*, 1st vice-pres.; *Winslow A. Work '48*, 2nd vice-pres.; and *Milton Goldsmith '46*, secretary-treasurer.

Auburn-Lewiston Alumni

On February 18 the Maine Club of Auburn-Lewiston held a dinner meeting at the Stephens House in Auburn.

T. Russell Woolley '41, alumni executive director, spoke to the group with his greetings and news from the Orono campus.

Oscar R. Hahnel '44, president, conducted the business meeting.

Pulp and Paper Alumni

On February 24, Maine Pulp and Paper alumni from all parts of the nation and Canada met for their Annual Luncheon at the Hotel Biltmore in New York City; also other alumni representatives were in attendance.

Serving as Chairman of this highly successful Luncheon was *Robert N. Zabe '50*, of Arlington, Mass.

Guest speaker for the occasion was *Mr. William M. Hall*, president of the Chas. T. Main, Inc., of Boston, Mass., who spoke on the "St. Lawrence Seaway."

Previous recipients of the University of Maine Pulp and Paper Foundation's Honor Award were presented to the group, and the 1960 Award Winner was announced. (See April *Alumnus* for this coverage.)

Also in attendance at this Luncheon were key national leaders in the paper field, as well as the presidents of several pulp and paper concerns.

Local Associations

Cleveland, Ohio

Alumni of the Cleveland, Ohio, area enjoyed a Maine Lobster Dinner at the Cleveland Athletic Club on February 26.

Slides of the University of Maine Campus were shown and discussion developed around these slides.

John H. Cameron '50 of Willowich, Ohio, was in charge of arrangements.

Eastern Pennsylvania

A dinner meeting for the alumni of Eastern Pennsylvania was held on February 26 at the Moravian Inn in Philadelphia, Pa.

Prof. Matthew McNeary, head of engineering graphics, College of Technology at the University of Maine, was the guest speaker. He talked about the future development of the University campus and gave the news from Orono.

Arrangements for the meeting were handled by *Arthur A. Chapman '21*, president, *Paul J. Hamm '49*, secretary, and *Edmund N. Woodsum '15*, a past president.

Regularly Scheduled Meetings

Weekly—

Portland Alumni

Friday Noon
Graymore Hotel

Boston Alumni

Thompson's Spa
City Hall Avenue
Friday Noon

Washington, D. C., Alumni

Thursday, 12:30 P.M.
Lotus Club
14th St. at New York Ave.

Monthly—

Western Pennsylvania Alumni

First Monday of each month
Oliver Restaurant
Smithfield St., Pittsburgh
Noon

Eastern Pennsylvania Alumni

Last Thursday of each month

Electrical Club Dining Room
6th Floor, Architect's Building
17th and Samson Streets
Philadelphia, Pa.

Southern Kennebec Alumni

First Friday of each month
Augusta House
Noon

Coming Meetings

Chicago Alumni

March Meeting
Watch for notices

Western Massachusetts Alumni

8:00 p.m., March 4
Maine vs. Mass. Basketball Game
The Cage, U. of Mass.; Amherst
April 8—Dinner Meeting
Roger Smith Hotel, Holyoke, Mass.
Speaker: *President Lloyd H. Elliott*

Northeastern New York

March 5—Dinner Meeting
Reich's Restaurant, Sagatoga Road
Albany, N. Y.
Speaker—*Donald V. Taverner '43*

Somerset County Alumni

March Meeting
Speaker—*T. Russell Woolley '41*
Watch for notices

St. Petersburg, Fla., Alumni

Saturday Luncheons
Pennsylvania Hotel
12:00 noon, following dates
March 12
April 2.

Bangor Alumnae

March 28—7:30 p.m.
Dessert-Bridge
Fruit Street School

Boston Alumni

April 30
Annual Dinner-Dance
Watch for notices

Alumni President *George F. Dow '27*, Mrs. Dow, Mrs. *T. Russell Woolley*, Alumni Director *T. Russell Woolley '41*, Mrs. *Donald V. Taverner '43*, and Director of Development *Donald V. Taverner '43* at the February Penobscot Valley Alumni reception for the Woolleys.

Photo by: *Spike Webb*, Bangor Daily News



Notes from the Classes

NECROLOGY

1910

HERMAN WINSLOW KYES. Herman "Doc" W. Kyes died in October of 1955. He had resided in Ipswich, Mass., for many years. In August of 1952 he retired from the General Electric Company after 39 years of service. He was considered an outstanding turbosupercharger engineering representative. Mr. Kyes is survived by his widow. He was a member of Phi Eta Kappa Fraternity.

1911

OLAF WINDSOR DWINAL. Olaf W. Dwinal, 74, died on January 30, 1960, at the veterans hospital in Togus. A native of Mechanic Falls, he was a veteran of W. W. I. Mr. Dwinal was a civil engineer in Pennsylvania until 1923 when he moved to Kennebunkport to operate an insurance and real estate business. He was formerly the city engineer in Auburn, where he had resided since 1959. Survivors include his widow and a sister. Mr. Dwinal was a member of Theta Chi Fraternity.

ALEXANDER WILLARD GOODWIN. Alexander W. Goodwin died on November 30, 1959. He resided in Arcadia, Calif., at the time of his death. In 1948 he retired from the position of assistant division chief with the Western Electric Company. He had been employed by this company for over 34 years in electrical engineering work. Mr. Goodwin was a former director of a hospital in Western Springs, Illinois, where the family lived at one time. He served as a commissioned officer during Mexican Border Service and in the U. S. Army in W. W. I. Survivors include his wife, a daughter, and two sons. Mr. Goodwin was a member of Delta Tau Delta Fraternity.

Correction:

In the make-up of the February *Alumnus* the class designation of 1913 was left out of the Necrology Section which placed the death of Frank Warren Haines in the Class of 1910. We now call to your attention that the late Mr. Haines was 1913.

1916

HARRY LELAND PETERSON. Harry L. Peterson, 62, died on November 26, 1957, in Indianapolis, Indiana. A native of Glastonbury, Conn., he had resided in Indianapolis for the past ten years. A graduate of the University of Maine Law School, he practiced in Norwich, Conn., for many years before going into the chemical business in Hartford, Conn. He bought control of the Crown Chemical Co., Inc., in Philadelphia in 1943 and moved the firm to Indianapolis four years later. Survivors include his wife, two sons, a daughter, and a brother. Mr. Peterson was a member of Alpha Delta Law Fraternity.

1917

EDMUND PATRICK MAHONEY. Judge Edmund P. Mahoney, 65, died on January 23, 1960, in Portland. He was a former municipal judge of Portland where he was a practicing attorney for many years with offices on Exchange Street. A native of Portland, he served in the U. S. Navy in W. W. I. At the time of his death he was first vice president of the Cumberland County Bar Association. Survivors include his wife, two daughters, and two sisters. Judge Mahoney was a member of Phi Delta Phi Law Fraternity.

1918

ROBERT MOSES LITTLEFIELD. Robert M. Littlefield, 64, died on January 17, 1960, at a Jamaica Plain, Mass., hospital. A native of Ogunquit, Me., he had lived in Holliston, Mass., for the past 34 years. He was the owner of the Littlefield Engineering Company of Worcester and Providence. A graduate of M.I.T., he also attended the University of Toulouse in Paris, France. During W. W. I. he was in the U. S. Army. Survivors include his wife, his mother, a daughter, a son, a sister, and four brothers. He was a past president of the Sigma Nu Fraternity at the University of Maine and founder and first president of the Fraternity Chapter at M.I.T.

1920

FREDERICK ROLAND WEST. Frederick R. West, 61, died in December of 1958. He had been a patient in a veteran's hospital in Virginia. A native of Milo, Me., he was associated with the fol-

lowing companies as an engineer: International Paper Company, Penobscot Chemical Fibre Company, Great Northern Paper Company for 23 years, Brown Company, and in the 1950's was working on a bridge design for the Edward P. Lupper Corp of N. Y. Survivors include his wife—Rosalie (Parady '21) West of Freeport, Me., a daughter—Ruth (West '52) Littlefield of Springvale, Me., and two sons—Charles F. '50 of Yorktown, Va., and Roland J. '51 of Snyder, N. Y. Mr. West was a member of Sigma Nu Fraternity.

1925

AMELIA GREENLAW HESKOCK. The Alumni Office has been informed of the death of Amelia G. Heskock as having occurred in 1956 at Lacomia, N. H. No further details are available.

1929

DONALD HAVEN EATON. Donald H. Eaton, 54, died on September 30, 1959, in a hospital in Portland, Maine. A native of North Berwick, he resided there for the most of his life. Mr. Eaton was a draftsman and then purchasing agent for the Hussey Mfg. Co., Inc., of North Berwick. Survivors include his wife, a daughter, two sons, and several grandchildren. Mr. Eaton was a member of Sigma Nu Fraternity.

1930

VICTOR CURTIS SYLVESTER. Victor C. Sylvester, 51, died on October 9, 1959, at Bridgton, Maine. He was a native of Bridgton and had formerly resided in Massachusetts for several years where he had been employed as a private chauffeur.

1950

ROBERT LEWIS STORM. Robert L. Storm, 32, died on January 28, 1960, in Long Beach, Calif. A native of Houlton, he was employed as an advanced electrical engineer at Hughes Aircraft Co. in Long Beach. Mr. Storm attended the University in 1947 and 1948, but graduated in 1956. He had previously attended Ricker Junior College in Houlton. Survivors include his wife, a daughter, and his parents.

1955

MARGARET DIANA O'DONNELL. M. Diana O'Donnell, 26, was killed on January 18, 1960, in the crash of a Capital Airlines plane on which she was a stewardess. The plane crashed near Holdcroft, Va. A native of Fort Fairfield, she lived in Searsport, Me., during her early schooling. Following a trip to Europe in 1954, she worked as a secretary for the Jordan Marsh Company of Boston. She studied at Husson College in Bangor before receiving her training as an airline hostess at the Grace Downs Career School in New York City. Miss O'Donnell began flying with Capital in 1959 and was based in Chicago. Survivors include her parents, a sister, and two brothers.

SENIOR ALUMNI

1906

Mr. Earle R. Richards

11 Parent St., South Berwick
In his Christmas Greeting "Fred" Simmons announced that he will sail from Montreal on April 12 for a European tour. Going from Montreal he will have an opportunity to see the shipping making use of the St. Lawrence Seaway along the way to Quebec. Overseas he will spend his time in England, Ireland, Norway, Sweden, and Denmark until his return early in July.

Guy Bennett writes that since his retirement, he puts in most of his time with his son in the paving business under the name of W. B. Bennett, Paving Limited, Oshawa, Ontario, Canada, a city on Lake Ontario around 35 miles east of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett are expecting to spend their winter vacation at St. Simmons Island, Georgia, where they have vacationed for six years. The Bennetts are also hoping and looking forward to returning to Orono for the Reunion activities in June, so with this in mind perhaps some of our readers will also join the regulars in renewing old friendships.

1907

Mr. Karl MacDonald

27 Nelson Ave., Wellsville, N. Y.
We wish to extend our sympathy to Mrs. John Keegan and family (see Necrology). Only four

out of the Law class of 15 are living.

H. C. Stetson, 1349 So. Gaylord Ave., Denver 10, Colo., writes he has nothing to report except he is quite well for his age. He sends this:

"A little older, day by day,
Around the temples, a little gray,
A little slower when I walk,
A little bit less inclined to talk,
A little less certain when I do
That all I say is always true—
I needn't weep—I needn't scold,
It's plain, I am getting a little old."

Sent two return post cards to Alvin L. Gilmore, 505 So. Crocus Ave., Syracuse 10, N. Y., but only drew a Christmas card with his name on it, showing that he was still alive.

For "Preeminence in Structural Design," the "Lindan Award" is being presented to Arthur R. Lord by the American Concrete Institute at their annual meeting at the Commodore Hotel, New York, on March 16. Arthur, who lives at 127 St. and 96 Avenue, Palos Park, Ill., seems to be doing all right for honors. In February 1957 he had conferred on him an Honorary Membership in the Institute. This Membership had been conferred on only six men during the life of the Institute.

Roy G. Hamlin, Alpine St., Gorham, N. H., left on November 2, with his oldest brother, to help drive to St. Petersburg. He was gone about 16 days and flew back. He said he would have liked to have stayed longer but he is listed as a working man. He attended the Bates and Colby-Maine football games. Said the rain was bad at the Bates game, but much worse at the Colby. Says he sees "Mouser" and "Mollie" Reed quite often on the street and they appear to be in good health. "Mouser" owes your class secretary a letter, but suppose he will have to dun him for it.

Edith (Tate) Brawn, 140 Castle Ave., Westbury, N. Y., since November 14, has had a grandson. This makes two girls (twins) and a boy that Edith has fallen heir to since her daughter got married.

Any one living in Bangor, Portland, Belfast, Fort Fairfield, and Jefferson, if interested in the "50th Anniversary History of the Class of 1907," will find a copy at their Public Library.

1908

Mr. James A. Gannett

166 Main St., Orono
Tom and Gretchen Fessenden observed their 61st wedding anniversary on last June 17. It was a very quiet observance as both are in frail health, especially Gretchen whose condition is extremely critical after two years' illness due to a failing heart. They have not come to their summer home in Maine for three years and have given the cottage at Harborside to their daughter Eileen. Tom, who had his 83rd birthday on December 20 writes, "We see no likelihood of getting to Maine again. Sorry, as we love it so." Tom and Gretchen are real troupers.

John Kendrick writes that his visit to Maine in '58 was, "most worthwhile and I am looking forward to another soon after my retirement which will surely be next year." John has made a wonderful place for himself in the hearts of folks at Northland College.

The *Congressional Record* of last June 24 contains a tribute to Dan Chase by the Honorable Edwin B. Dooley, Representative to Congress from the State of New York. Mr. Dooley praised Dan for his outstanding contribution to fair play and good sportsmanship. His remarks began, "Mr. Speaker, one of the outstanding gentlemen that it has been my privilege to know is Dan Chase, University of Maine Phi Beta Kappa, who has devoted a great part of his life to teaching men the spiritual value of sports."

1909

Mr. Fred D. Knight

9 Westmoreland Drive
W. Hartford 17, Conn.
The Jess Masons are planning an extensive trip to Europe, starting May 11. Their itinerary includes London, Paris, Holland, Belgium, Germany, Switzerland, and Italy. They sail on the "Queen Elizabeth." Incidentally, they report quite a numerous U. of M. population in and near Sarasota. Besides the Masons, there are the Nashes and the Naumans of '09; the Robie Mitchells '08, and Ray Perkins '32 who manages Tahiti Sands Apartments, where the Masons stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf J. Anderson (Martha Knight) became proud grandparents in October. Kristine Jean is their first grandchild and while Martha says it has been a long wait, the result is well worth it. We all join in congratulations.

A recent note from Howard Johnson tells of

a Christmas holiday visit from his daughter and family. They saw many of the wondrous things Florida has to offer from Ringling Museum, Jungle Gardens, etc., to Weeki Wachee Springs and sponge diving.

Your scribe sends his notes for *The Alumnus*, most of the time, in his inimitable longhand which, admittedly, is not the most legible. The poor editors have a struggle deciphering some of his words, and now and then, they come up with a dilly. So, when you come across the weird word in your class notes, blame the scribe's penmanship, and not the editors. (Editor's Note: Our thanks Mr. Knight, but we do miss on our part, too, from time to time.)

The Henry Nashes, after spending many winters in Clermont, Fla., had to locate another spot because their old place had been taken over by a church organization for their aged members. It was not their church and they are not old enough to qualify anyway. As mentioned in the January *Alumnus* and above, they are very happily situated in the Maine group at Sarasota.

We are saddened by news of the recent death of Larry Jones in Bangor. This will be noted more fully in the obituary column.

BY CLASSES

1910 Mr. Dimon E. Merrill
293 High St., Westwood, Mass.
50th Reunion, June 3-5, 1960

A few weeks ago Herbert W. Pickup who lives at 284 Madison St., Fall River, Mass., wrote me that he had never been able to attend any of our Class Reunions because June was always his busy month. I can fully appreciate this knowing that he was principal of the B.M.C. Durfee High School at Fall River for many years. He is now retired and plans to join us in Orono next June for the 1910 Round-Up. Thanks, "Pick," for wishing us success in re-uniting the gang for our 50th Reunion.

It's the effort that you and all other 1910 Class members make to get back to Orono on June 3 to 5 next that will make our Reunion worthwhile. I feel sure that many of us will be queer looking monkeys from the other fellow's point of view, now that we have lost pink complexions and much of the thick curly hair that we brought onto the campus with us in the fall of 1906. We are going to have lots of fun observing these changes when we all get together next June.

George F. Barron has recently changed his address from R.D. 2, Box 142, Keyport, N. J., to 46 Laurel Drive, Fairhaven, N. J.

Daniel G. Brown is now residing at 225 8th St. North, St. Petersburg, Florida.

Clarence F. Howard can be reached at Dover-Foxcroft, Maine.

In less than three months after you receive this issue of the *Alumnus* (March) our 50th Class Reunion will be a matter of history! Don't wait another day in starting to make definite plans to join the parade of 1910 members to Orono in time so that we will have a large gathering there for a Class Dinner on Friday night, June 3rd, and by all means bring your wife or husband and as many other members of your family or guests as your car will hold.

Details relative to reunion plans will be included in a letter that you will receive from our Class president, Ernest Lamb, and in later issues of the *Alumnus*.

Write these dates "June 3-5, 1960, 50th Class Reunion" on a piece of paper and pin it up where you will see it every day until your bags are packed for the trip to Orono. Write me soon stating definitely that you will be there.

1911 Mr. Avery C. Hammond
287 Ohio Street
P. O. Box 200, Bangor

Ernest T. and Catherine Walker left New York on January 15th on the M. S. Bergensford for an around the world cruise to end in N. Y. on April 4th. About the time you read this, they will be in Madagascar (March 8th). They will call at Cristobal, Canal Zone; Papeete, Tahiti; Rarotonga, Cook Islands; Nukulofa, Tonga Islands; Auckland and Christchurch, New Zealand (where we lived for quite a spell about thirty years ago); Sydney and Freemantle, Australia; Hobart, Tasmania where the great Tattersal Sweep, a Government lottery paying five thousand pounds for first and fifteen hundred pounds for second, is held; Port Louis, Mauritius; Tamatave, Madagascar, Lourenco, Portuguese East Africa; Durban, South Africa; Capetown, South

Africa, Luando, Angola; Conakry, Guinea; Dakar, Senegal, Santa Cruz, Tenerife; Funchal, Madeira and home. The Bergensford (18,750 Tons) is designed for just such trips, has spacious and charmingly decorated public rooms, a vast spread of open decks for sunbathing and games, outdoor and indoor swimming pools, steam baths and massage rooms. She is completely air conditioned and equipped with stabilizers for smooth sailing.

The shore program is arranged by Thos. Cook & Son. The South Seas islands afford views of unspoiled Polynesian settings, giant marine dragons, and amazing bird life. Tahiti, where *Mutiny on the Bounty* was written, has ideal climate and easy life. It tempts people to stay, but I understand the quota is filled and we look for the Walkers to return.

They will see the Rotorua Thermal Region, with boiling mud pools, geysers, and hot springs so near to cold streams that you can catch a fish in one and while still on the hook, cook it in another. They will see the Maori Haka and the Poi Dances while in New Zealand, as well as the Glow Worm Cave in Waitomo.

This far, I am with them every step of the way and know just what they are seeing. When they return they will, no doubt, share the delights of the rest of the trip.

1913 Mr. Clifton E. Chandler
113 Highland St., Portland

Class Mates:
Out of the letter box this morning dropped a letter covered with icicles, postmarked St. Petersburg, Fla. Upon opening I found a note from "Slab" Savage along with a check for his Class Gift to the University to buy a bond. He suggested that I send him ear muffs, mittens, heavy underwear, and a pair of snow shoes on the side. Better come back to Maine, "Slab," it was 62° here the other day and 48° in Miami. We'll keep the home fires burning and see you in the Spring.

He writes that Melvin H. St. Clair, Arthur F. Smith, and he represented the Illustrious Class of 1913 at the St. Petersburg U. of M. Alumni meeting on December 12 at which 40 Alumni were in attendance and a fine time was had by all. Thanks for your note and generous check "Slab"—I have your bond tucked away in the Safe Deposit Box all ready for delivery in '63.

From the *Bangor Daily News* comes word that Woodbury L. Berce of Washburn, a long time figure in state farm and civic affairs, has been named Chairman of the Maine State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Just got word that Luther B. Rogers has changed his winter address from Patten, Maine, to 515 Gordon Lane, Erie, Pa. You will recall that "Lute" was one of Maine's best on the track team. Good to hear that you are going strong and best of luck—hope you are planning for the "big event" in '63.

Well, let's get back to the Class History.

October 1, 1909 was the date of our next class meeting at one o'clock in Fernald Hall. "Jim" Gannett '08 spoke to the class about joining the Athletic Association and Chester Johnson '10 spoke about football and encouraged the class to try out.

Just to show you that we didn't care how we spent our money even in those days it was voted to join the Athletic Association as a Class and no record is shown of the amount of dues, but I think it was \$3.00. Kent Fox spoke concerning the "Campus" and urged members to go out for feature work for this paper. And here is where we began to get a little uneasy for we held an interview with the Manager of the Sophomore Cap Committee who took orders for caps—perfect decorum and *nobody* spoke out of turn.

On October 13 a meeting was held in the same Hall to discuss hazing. When it comes to "brain washing" we were the "fair haired boys." Kent Fox spoke to the class on behalf of the Senior Skulls. It was voted that temporary Class Officers be made permanent. It was voted that the president of the Class be elected as one of a committee with presidents of the other classes to meet the faculty and that the Class of 1913 should stand behind the Junior and Senior Classes in whatever they see fit to do—we sure were playing cosy here.

Say, remember you have a grand reunion coming up in June 1963, so don't forget to send me money for a Government Bond and also that \$10.00 for the Class Expense Fund. Regards to all.

1914 Mr. Harold P. Adams
10 Felicia Rd., Melrose, Mass.

We have recently received news concerning Er-

nest "Sherm" Rand, coming from New Orleans, La., and directly from "Sherm" himself. He is supposedly visiting his daughter and grandchildren, but he is devoting most of his time in serving as Floor Committee Man for the many Mardi Gras balls that are held during the "Carnival Season." The "Carnival Season," "Sherm" says, begins about two weeks after Christmas and lasts until Mardi Gras Day in March, ending with the advent of Ash Wednesday. During the "Carnival Season" two balls are held every night in two different sections of the large New Orleans Auditorium. This is the fifth year that "Sherm" has served as Floor Committee Man. These affairs are colorful, "Sherm" says, but the only colorful part he mentions is the beautiful women dressed in beautiful gowns. It would appear that he is hitting a fast pace for an old Grandpa.

"Sherm" received the following letter from "Eddie" Loftus:

"Got your newsy letter and was quite surprised that so many of our class showed up. I was in Bangor a few days before the Reunion, but had to come back to California. While in New York, I was told by Joe McCusker that Mary L. Kave-nough was Mary Leonard, whom I knew well while I was in school. I understand that she is a member of the Maine State Real Estate Commission. I am a member of the California Real Estate Commission, but have not made any effort to meet her because I did not realize that we would know each other. I expect to come back for our 50th if able. Since graduating I have lived a very busy and work-packed life with some success. Glad to have heard from you." Eddie also enclosed a check to add to the Fund we are building to present to the University Foundation Fund on our 50th Reunion. This check has been forwarded to "Hoss" Hall, Orono, Maine. "Hoss" will welcome further donations.

Among the recent gifts to our class fund was a check from Artie Abbott. In his accompanying letter Artie gave us a brief description of a recent European trip taken by Mrs. Abbott and him. Starting October first they flew to Casablanca, Morocco, via Paris. In Casablanca they visited their daughter and three grandchildren. Their son-in-law, who is a Naval Lieutenant stationed at Kenitra, Morocco, took Artie and Mrs. Abbott on a 3000 mile tour covering eleven European countries.

Other recent contributors to the 1914 Class Fund are: Imogene (Wormwood) Ingalls, O. B. Higgins, and Ernest Rand.

1915 Mrs. H. P. Adams
(Margaret Holyoke)
10 Felicia Rd., Melrose, Mass.
45th Reunion, June 3-5, 1960

As you will notice, our 45th Reunion comes this

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year, 1960. Let's try to have a good old 1915er! It's not too soon to think and plan and then be ready to return to Maine in June.

Classmates have been good about writing—some have written in without first having received a letter from me. This cooperation is much appreciated.

A fine letter from Wilbur Aageson tells us that his past experience has been largely associated with the dairy industry; first as an erecting engineer working on and installing dairy and refrigerating equipment and later on quality control of dairy products. For the past 23 years he has been in the employ of the Woodland Dairy Co. of Watertown, Mass., as quality supervisor. He says it has been interesting to watch the gradual improvement of dairy products over the years. Wilbur has now retired and plans to live in Tampa, Florida, during the winter months and at Spruce Head, Maine, during spring and summer. He is planning to attend our 45th Reunion.

Since her retirement, Ava Chadbourne has been doing interesting research work. By a Legislative Act of 1872 "Females" were admitted to the Maine State College, provided they were competent to do the work. There were nine coeds in the seventies and 20 in the eighties. She says, "For me, learning to know these young women has been a very pleasant vocation." The results of these studies may be found in the University of Maine Library in two typewritten pamphlets entitled, "The Co-Eds of the Seventies" and "The Co-Eds of the Eighties." For the past few years Ava has been making a study of Place Names of our State—why the towns were so named and by whom. Her book, "Maine Place Names and the Peopling of its Towns," records the results of her research. I'm sure we would feel well repaid to read these interesting studies.

Word comes from the Alumni Office that Everett P. Ingalls, Vice President of S. D. Warren Co., was presented a certificate upon his retirement as a three-year director of the Associated Industries of Maine.

Change of address—Roland G. Kumball from Farmington, N. H., to Freeport, Maine.

1916

Mrs. Evelyn W. Harmon
(Evelyn Winship)
Livermore Falls

Since I had a couple of news items left over from last month, I may as well start with them.

A welcome note came from "Jim" Totman of Baltimore, but I was most unhappy to learn that this Christmas he had been home nursing a broken leg, received by stepping off a ten foot wall in the dark. He said the Totman luck was still with him because it could have been very much worse. After a few weeks more on crutches, he is off to Florida for the sun cure. We trust his recovery may be very rapid. "Lew" Barrows and his wife paid them a short visit last fall. "Lew's" son now lives in Baltimore, near "Jim."

In his letter Harold Coffin writes that with any luck, he should begin to walk on his game leg about Christmas time. On a trip West with Grace last summer to visit some of their children, he was so unfortunate as to fracture his hip. His daughter, Judith '49, came East from Los Angeles with her two children to spend a couple of weeks with them. On the drive back, she took her sister, Peg '44, back with her from New York City. Peg liked Los Angeles well enough to stay, so she got a secretarial job and an apartment not far from her sister. After Judith left, Lois '50, who had been in Great Falls, Mon., was with them for a visit. Her family was temporarily in Brookings, S. D., where her husband, Major Stanford A. Ensberg, USAF, was taking a short course at So. Dakota A & M. He has a Command Pilot's rating. They have three children. A helpful aunt took care of them, so that Lois could come East to visit her parents. Harold wrote that there had been some bright spots in spite of the long drag while the break mended. I appreciated receiving his letter so much.

Fred Robie's Christmas family letter is as interesting and amusing as ever. He and his wife, Alice, now boast two great grandchildren, Harold Frederick Gray and Elizabeth Mae Robie. During his hunting vacation, Fred got his deer, "a beautiful two hundred and sixty pound, eight point, 'Biggest Bucks in Maine Club' specimen." I wish I could put in his letter as a whole. I know you would have a good laugh.

1917

Mrs. William F. West
(Helen Danforth)
191-A Broadway, Bangor

A note from Joe McCusker tells me that the sum of \$130.00 was awarded to two students for the spring semester, 1960, from the Class of 1917 Scholarship Fund.

A Christmas card from Roy Higgins brought quite a lot of news. He and Alma had had a nice visit with "Bitter" Sweet and his wife. Also, just before Thanksgiving, they had a weekend visit from Ed and Myrtle Dempsey, who had returned from California a short time before. Roy and Alma were just leaving to spend Christmas with their older daughter in California.

Noel Godfrey, on leave of absence from New York University, is residing at his home in Calais and teaching a course on "Contemporary Europe" at the University of Maine Extension Center at Lincoln.

Linwood T. Pitman, promotion manager of WCSH-TV, in Portland, Maine, and his wife have recently moved into their new home at 12 Rackleff St., Portland.

Stanley G. Phillips, vice president and chief engineer of the Boston & Maine and Maine Central Railroads, has retired from active railroad duties. He has been identified with railroading for the past 43 years. Stan and his wife have two sons and a daughter, Stanley G. Jr., Edward H., and Saralyn Phillips.

I was chatting with Grace Bristol the other day, and she tells me that Marion (Emery) Cole is working for her master's degree in Health and Education at Boston University. It doesn't look as if all the members of our Class are retiring.

According to the Press, Albert W. Emmons, State Representative in York County, is being considered a likely aspirant for the Executive Council.

Grace Coffin and I were discussing hobbies recently. Grace has become interested in weaving and is building up a small business in that field. Your news reporter, as most of you know, spends six months of the year gardening. In the winter she has built up quite a business in custom made aprons, having them in a shop in Bangor and in Bucksport. Since so many of us are reaching retirement age so far as regular occupations are concerned, there must be many members of the Class who have interesting hobbies. Won't some of you write me about them?

1918

Dean Weston S. Evans
8 Kell Street, Orono

You may have noticed that the 1918 column has been missing lately. My pleas for news have been ignored. I hope to get out a class letter soon, but in the meantime send class dues (\$2.00) to Mark Crockett, 8 Newport Road, Cambridge, Mass., and plan on a class meeting in June. The 50th is coming.

1919

Mrs. James H. Freeland
(Polly Mansur)
120 Grove Street, Bangor

Charles H. Heald wishes to thank our class for the scholarship we awarded him this year. As he is married and this is his last year at the University, he says this scholarship is a great assistance.

Harold M. Pierce is recuperating from surgery performed at the Phillips House, Mass. Cen. Hosp. in Boston and plans to spend the remainder of the season at Delray, Florida.

George M. Levenson of Bangor has sold the 40-year old Star Store business, women's apparel shop, to the Cortell-Segal Co. of Bangor.

Samuel N. Collins of Caribou is on the Board of Directors of the Pine Tree Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Inc., of Bath, Maine.

The following is an Editor's Note:

In the November issue of the 1959 *Alumnus* the write-up of the death of Charles Leslie Thomes was printed. Very little information was available at that time. We incorrectly spelled his last name—it is Thomes.

Gerald Smith '54, currently the secretary-treasurer of the Western Pennsylvania Alumni Association, was a neighbor of the late Mr. Thomes in Harrison, Maine, and forwarded the following information:

"Mr. Thomes was a life long resident of the Maple Ridge section of Harrison, Maine. He was a farmer and also was prominent in the lumber industry as well as in town affairs. At the time of his death he owned and operated a saw mill in Harrison, an industry now owned by his widow and managed by his son-in-law, J. Robert Carlson. He

is survived by his widow and four daughters, all of whom are married. His oldest daughter, Constance, was graduated from Maine in 1948, and is now Mrs. Alan Bray of Methuen, Massachusetts. A son-in-law, Arthur W. Carlson, was salutatorian at Maine of the Class of 1951. Mr. Thomes suffered from a long illness prior to his death and spent several months in hospitals in Portland and Boston. He died while in a Boston hospital.

"In my opinion Mr. Thomes maintained the most active interest in University of Maine affairs of anybody I knew during my boyhood days. A state series football game was a must for him each year, and while I was in Orono he followed my progress as well as that of the University faithfully. His passing was indeed a loss to the State of Maine."

1920

Miss M. Eleanor Jackson, C.L.U.
Samuel Appleton Building
110 Milk Street
Boston 9, Massachusetts
40th Reunion, June 3-5, 1960

Word from Phil Libby of Carlsbad, Calif. His comment on Christmas: "Only when I think of Maine right now I don't feel Christmasy. I was just about set to come back this June—had told my boss that I would not be available for Summer School and arranged for a substitute when someone got a "brite idea"—they would put in a third semester from June til Sept.—and experiment with the School of Commerce. So that was the end of any reunion ideas, but it also framed up an idea that I had had in mind for some time, namely, retirement. So I went to work on it. It really was a kick, like the shoemakers kids, they always needed shoes, here I was head of the business administration department of one of the top schools of commerce in the country and had only the vaguest idea of my own personal finances. I knew I was eating regularly and putting a little away and that's about all. So when I started putting all the odds and ends together it began to look as though we could still eat even if I stopped working—so—first I began by feeling sorry for myself, arthritis making my old bones ache, ever increasing smog and traffic, and now all this mess and reorganization at U.S.C. Then, on the positive side, some of that fall fishing in Oregon, possibilities of exploring the byways of Mexico, etc., etc., while I can still cripple around. This together with time to get back into this desert country right behind us, well, to cut it short I went in the other day and gave 'em the word. OK, I'd stay here this summer, but that would be it. Come September they could just address me as "emeritus." I have had it. Except I'll miss the old routine, after all, twenty-eight years is quite a while to stay with any company, but, I'm not much of a person to look backward. So it is now into a new period in life, my advanced growth, as it were (No—I did not say my second childhood) and we are sure going to try to live it up. My two kids are both successful engineers with families of their own and all in all it's a good life."

Frank Preti is in the South until spring.

Minerva French plans to return for Commencement, and, Minerva, you won't be "out of place on crutches."

Bangor Daily News gives an account of the installation of the newly elected officers of Anah Temple, Order of the Mystic Shrine, on June 8. Danny Boone Buzzell was installed as chief rabban.

It won't be long now until we are arriving on campus for our fortieth. Each and every one of the sixteen who are now planning to return (end of January) are looking forward to meeting you and, if you have one, your spouse, in our section of a dormitory on campus. We all had a wonderful Reunion at our thirty-fifth and are hoping every one of you who can possibly arrange to be present will come to add to the fun.

1921

Mrs. Charles McDonald
(Dorothy Smith)
R.F.D. 2, Box 516, Carmel

Dot (Hart) Cook has a well planned busy life. Last summer she spent on a camping trip through the Badlands, Mt. Rushmore and Yellowstone Parks, Bryce and Grand Canyons, and on to Pasadena. This coming summer she plans two months in Great Britain and Norway, to include a trip to the fiords from Bergen to Oslo, and if possible some time in Holland and Belgium. THEN in 1961 she is retiring and certainly expects to make our 40th.

I have a few changes of address. One is of special interest in view of our next Reunion. Our

TREASURER, Wesley 'Red' Plumer's latest address is General Electric Co., in SE Dept., 1 River Road, Schenectady, N. Y. I know he will appreciate hearing from all of us with "enclosures."

Raymond and Mildred (Bisbee) Wass are receiving their mail at Box 5, Sanbornville, N. H.

Carl '20 and Dorothy (Hanington) Legrow are living at 76 Payson St., Portland.

1922

Mr. Leslie W. Hutchins

30 Alban Rd., Waban 68, Mass.

Vinton '21 and Ethel F. (Packard) Harkness are really enjoying something new these last few days. Their extremely capable son, Vinton O. Harkness, Jr., has just returned from Hawaii after a long tour of duty in the naval service. Vinton, Jr. brought back his lovely wife and two grandchildren which neither grandparents here in Waban had ever seen. Such a happy event should be known to their friends. Congratulations to Ethel and Vinton.

Ralph P. Kennison seems to be getting the publicity these days. The first item from the *Portland Press Herald* relates the election of officers at the Augusta Country Club for 1968. Ralph was re-elected secretary. We are all pleased to know that his 25 years of service with the Central Maine Power Co. was recognized through the means of a dinner in his honor recently. Congratulations, Ralph, and may we hear more about your activities as time goes on.

The *Providence Journal* recently printed a story on our classmate Gardiner B. Tibbetts. This is a story of service to his farm groups and to the community. We would like to see more stories written about the lives and work of our Maine graduates. For 17 years a Downeaster from Maine, County Agent Gardiner B. Tibbetts, 61, of Dan-croft Avenue, Smithfield, has been settling northern Rhode Island farm problems that range from getting rid of fleas to the best way to build a dairy barn. "They call us county agents," he said, "but I like to call the job that of county farm advisor. It's more descriptive of what I do." Did he have any advice on cranberries? "No," he replied, "I don't have anything to do with cranberries; there are no bogs in my territory which covers Bristol and Providence Counties." While he may not have anything to do with cranberries, he has plenty of problems dumped on his doorstep, he reported. "We run a consulting service.

Your secretary is again most grateful for a large part of this column which comes through our Alumni Office. We need stories about our classmates. They don't need to be those of the big shots; let's have loads of stories from the little shots, a group which includes the most of us.

1923

Mrs. Norman E. Torrey

(Toni Gould)

9 Poplar St., Bangor

Did you know that Rodney A. Young has a daughter, Ila L., in the class of '63 at Maine? I'm sorry that news of Rodney is scant, but his address is R.F.D. 3, Dexter, and it looks as if his 40th Reunion would have special meaning for him.

It was such a treat to have the Alumni Office send me the full page feature story with pictures in the *Providence Sunday Journal* showing Mabel (Peabody) and Arthur Wilson selecting their home-grown Christmas tree from the group of 1,000 planted on their farm in Foster, R. I. Both of them look so young and happy among their trees that you'd think that they were still right at Piney Knoll! There is also a picture of the delightful 138-year-old house with its 42 acres which they bought seven years ago. Dr. Wilson (still "Pete" to us) is the very active minister of the Beneficent Cong. Church (Round Top) in Providence. He's an especially busy person during all the extensive and beautiful restoration which has been taking place in preparation for the rededication of its 150-year-old Meeting House. A series of important community events with prominent people participating will continue into June.

When I spoke at The Woman's Club recently on "The Pioneer Women of Bangor" I had the pleasure of getting to know the charming wife of our classmate, Arthur E. Rogers. Besides serving as president of that organization for a second term, Mrs. Rogers was recently re-elected president of the Women's Fellowship of the Hammond St. Cong. Church. She told me that Arthur is with the N.E. Tel. & Tel. Co. here in Bangor as local wire chief and also toll wire chief for the Eastern Area. They reside at 37 McLaughlin St. Their son, Gerald, is in the Army and their daughter is now

Mrs. Beverly Khoury, who lives in Orono and has three children.

1924

Mrs. Clarence C. Little

(Beatrice Johnson)

Little Haven, R.F.D. 1, Ellsworth

Dear Classmates:

Here are a few items from the Alumni office and a few I have gleaned.

"Jerry" (Harold) Chase has been at the University interviewing seniors for the General Electric Co. where he is manager of the Small Turbine and Supercharger Department at Fitchburg, Mass. He is a specialist in marine engineering. His home address is Box 116, New Ipswich, N. H. Jerry's son was graduating from another college, so he did not get back to reunion last June.

Ralph M. Simmons lives at 18 Cheverus Road in South Portland.

Morton C. Whitcomb works for Uncle Sam at the Ellsworth Post Office and we have the pleasure of seeing him and his charming wife occasionally.

Vaughan L. Ladd is the subject of a recent magazine article which highly praises his efficient, faithful work with the Bangor and Aroostook Railway where, since graduation, he has been employed. He is now mechanical superintendent of all equipment, employs 250 men and women, and oversees the spending of some two million dollars a year. In the interview Vaughan modestly states that the two most essential qualities for his job are a thick skin and a strong constitution.

Albert Noyes writes that he and his wife, Elinor spent a weekend with Frank Burke and his family in Stoughton. Ralph Bennett and his wife were present also. The Noyeses have also seen the Howard Reiches recently. I wish more of you lived near Trenton.

That's the news for the moment.

1925

Mrs. Merrill Henderson

(Anne Thurston)

Quechee, Vermont

35th Reunion, June 3-5, 1960

This week our Reunion Committee met to outline plans—you will soon be hearing from us; but until you get the details, just reserve June 3-4-5.

Harry Qandage writes from 34 Manor Rd., Springfield, Mass., asking about Reunion and who is returning. Perhaps some of you would write to him about your plans.

C. Michael Dowd '26 and his wife Alice (Bunker) have changed their address to Box 2, Winn.

Margery Bailey, whose address is Alpha Ave., P. O. Box 261, Winsted, Conn., is head of the math department at the Gilbert School.

After teaching in New Haven, Conn., for 33 years, Ray Burton has moved to Ocala, Florida. He is physics instructor in Central Florida Junior College and says he is "enjoying the change in duties as well as the year 'round sunny climate." He is in hopes to get back in June.

State Senator Earle Hillman was a recent speaker at the Bangor-Brewer Triangle Club. His topic "Current Events in Augusta" took the members "behind the scenes." He is a 25-member of the club and has been very active in its various activities, having served several offices including president. Senator Hillman has served several terms and is currently a member of Board of directors of Y.M.C.A., was formerly active in the Toastmaster's Club, and has for several years been state chairman of the MCA World Services Committee.

On January 18 Senator Hillman was chosen president of the State Senate of Maine to succeed Governor John H. Reed '42. He is the second member of our class to hold this high legislative post; Robert Haskell of Bangor served in this capacity during several state legislative sessions.

1926

Mrs. Trygve Heistad

(Shirley Roberts)

11 Third Ave., Augusta

A nice note came from Mary Roche, who, by the way, lives in Manhattan on West 105th Street. She enclosed a clipping from the *Miami Herald*. Under the date line December 16, 1959, it tells of Dr. Wilhelmina Dunning receiving a plaque as Dade County's Outstanding Citizen as "Woman of the Year." "Billie" receives this well deserved honor for her research work in the cancer research laboratory at the University of Miami. Dr. Dunning is professor of experimental pathology as well as head of the cancer research laboratory at the University. Dr. Dunning's work is well known throughout the nation as is evidenced by grants received from the Damon Runyon Fund, the American Cancer Society, the U. S. Public Health Depart-

ment and the National Cancer Institute among others.

Esther (Thompy) Thompson teaches English in Asbury Park High School. George teaches physics in the same school. They have two children—George, who is an electronics engineer for General Dynamics in Rochester, N. Y., and Anne, who is a bacteriologist in San Francisco. This gives the Thompsons a chance to travel by car or plane to the West Coast and this they have done five times in three years.

A card from Ted and Carolin Rowe indicates that they spent the Christmas Season with their daughter, Julie Ann, and husband in England. The Rowes are grateful for the speedy jet service that makes these reunions possible.

The Heistads welcomed the New Year by welcoming a new son-in-law. Our second daughter, Anna Marie, became Mrs. David Flury on January 9. David, who is now fulfilling his obligations to Uncle Sam, plans to return to his position as laboratory technician at the Mass. General Hospital. He is a Harvard graduate.

1927

Mrs. Edgar Bogan

(Sally Palmer)

32 Myrtle Street, Orono

According to a local newspaper column, it is believed that one of the first appointments of Maine's Governor John H. Reed '42 will be that of Richard C. Willey, an Ellsworth business man, to the state liquor commission. Good luck, Dick, and a toast to you.

Clayton T. "Cuddy" Bockus has recently been promoted to technical director of the Eastern Corporation. Cuddy has been a member of the Eastern organization since 1930—serving on the laboratory technical staff for more than twenty-five years. He was made Eastern's process control superintendent in 1947 and promoted to assistant technical director in November, 1958, holding that position until his new assignment. Congratulations, Cuddy.

Charles "Chick" Evans has accepted an appointment as press secretary for Maine's new Governor, John H. Reed '42. He has been publicity chief for the State Department of Economic Development, a position I have reported to you during the past year. I think the class has some very good representatives in our state capital.

I am delighted to give you a little background and current news on Lewis J. "Jack" Carpenter. Mrs. Carpenter is the former Charlotte Augustinus of La Grange, Illinois. Jack spent the war years up to 1948 working for the government in the Panama Canal Zone. He now works for General Electric Company in Albany, N. Y. He is co-author of the *Industrial Power System Handbook*. His title at G. E. is Application Engineer, User Sales Dept., Apparatus Sales Division. The Carpenters have five children—Carol C. Isley, 24, resides in Princeton, N. J., while her husband, George, attends Princeton Seminary; Jaculyn, 23, graduates this year from Columbia Medical School of Nursing in New York City; Lewis, 22, is a senior at the University of Maine, and it is to him that I am indebted for this information; Paul, 16, is a junior in high school; and Bruce 8, attends second grade. You may say "Hello" to the Carpenters at their very pleasant home on Valentine Road, R.D. 1, Ballston Lake, N. Y.

1928

Mrs. William B. Leger

(Emma Thompson)

75 Woodmont St., Portland 4

Erlon M. and Mary (Weimer '29) Ryerson have moved to Waterville. They are living temporarily at 14 College Ave. "Tommy" is the manager for the Waterville branch of Maine Oxyacetylene Supply Company.

Kenneth Lovejoy has just returned from Lafayette, Indiana and he and Mabel (Kirkpatrick) Lovejoy were at the National 4-H in Chicago just a bit back.

Our sympathy goes to Virginia (Smith) Lamb on the loss of her mother.

Philip McSorley has a new address—19 Marshall St., Old Greenwich, Conn. He worked for FXR, Inc., 26-12 Borough Place, Woodside, Long Island, N. Y. There 700 employees make electronics equipment.

Saw a picture of Mose Nanigan at a Southwestern Maine Football Conference

1929

Mrs. Matthew E. Highlands

(Ramona Poley)

111 Forest Ave., Orono

First a little note of explanation. The first two items in this column were cut off my column last month. This is something that happens occasionally and over which I have no control. Added to the fact that I must write the column over a month before it reaches you, it explains the long period between the time I get the news and the time it appears in print.

Dick Fitzmorris has been in the Orono area twice last fall on business; the last time to inter-

view U. of M seniors for possible employment with the N. Y. Telephone Company. One evening that Dick spent with the Highlands I got out my little notebook and took down all I could get out of him about the Fitzmorris family. He and Claire (Callaghan) live in Great Neck, N. Y. Dick has been with the N. Y. Telephone Company for 30 years and is plant superintendent. He is also college coordinator for the company. He is a past president of the Great Neck Rotary Club and is a commander in the Active Naval Reserve. This last year his tour of active duty took him on a cruise to Panama. Claire is president of the Needlework Guild and is very active in anti-communism work. She has studied under Louis Budenz and has given many talks on the subject. They have three children. Paul is a graduate of King Point and works for the National City Bank. He has his law degree and has passed the N. Y. bar exams. Paul is married and has two sons. Eileen is a graduate of Mt. St. Vincent as an R.N. She works at the Georgetown U. Hospital in Washington. Jimmy is in high school.

Charles S. "Bill" and Doris (Rideout '27) Huestis have a daughter, Ann Veazie, who was graduated from Hollins College last June and also married the same month to Garnet Patterson. The Huestis' also have a son, Charles, who graduated from the U. of Bridgeport last year and is now employed by West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company.

We were shocked and saddened to learn recently of the death last September 30 of Donald Eaton. Don grew up in North Berwick with my husband, Matthew Highlands, and we used to see him frequently on visits there while Matt's family were still living. Don lived in North Berwick all his life, working for the Hussy Company for many years and also for a construction company. He died of a coronary attack in a Portland hospital and leaves his wife, a daughter, two sons, and several grandchildren.

1930 Mrs. Ernest J. Pero
(Jeanette Roney)
11 West End Ave., Westboro, Mass
30th Reunion, June 3-5, 1960

Dear Classmates,

I have just received my brochure on the completion program of the Hauck Building Fund. It's such a worthy cause, for 30 years ago we thought an auditorium was the next essential building to go on campus. Several wonderful additions came to pass, but still no auditorium.

And speaking of 30 years ago, this it. We will celebrate on June 3, 4, and 5. Of course you all plan to be on campus for this event. Those of us who got back for our 25th know that it was lots of fun renewing old friendships. Those of you who didn't make it then should check the dates so you won't miss this time. Details of our class plans will reach you at a later date. What would you like to do? Your class officers would welcome any suggestions.

As is always true, the Christmas mail was such a joy, and I'll try to share a bit with you now and then.

Polly (Hall) Leech's daughter is a senior in the nursing course at Simmons. Polly's son is a senior in Wyoming Seminary Prep School and at present is hoping for a career in the Coast Guard or in business administration. Because of these graduations, Polly is afraid she can't make our Reunion.

Dick Bradford of Orono was elected president of the Bangor Board of Realtors at a recent meeting held at the Bangor House.

Congressman Cliff McIntyre introduced into the House in January a bill renewing the patent on the insignia design used by the National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution at the request of D.A.R. president general Mrs. Ashmead White of Bangor. The present patent expires in June, and the renewal will be for 14 years. He also served as honorary associate chairman of Dinner with Pres. Eisenhower (Jan. 27) in Portland.



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Among the newly elected officers of St. John's Commandery in Bangor was Horace Pratt of Orono, who will be prelate.

William N. Flynt who has been superintendent of distribution for the Weymouth Light Power Co. has been promoted to vice president of Quincy Electric and Weymouth Light Power Co. Billy has been with the company 30 years and lives at Meeting House Lane in Weymouth. The Flynts have a daughter and 2 grandchildren.

Marion "P.T." Rogers was one of five of Maine's most distinguished sports citizens elected to the Bangor Daily News Hall of Sports Fame. The awards are made annually and she will join an honor roll of greats elected in past years. Prof. Rogers, director of the women's physical education department at the Univ. of Maine, will be honored January 30 at the News ninth annual sports award dinner.

Don't forget to save the date. I'll see you in June.

1931 Mrs. Sam Sezak
(Ethel Thomas)
4 Gilbert St., Orono
Phyllis Stewart, daughter of Dean John and Mable (Lancaster) Stewart, participated in the cornerstone dedication of the new girls' dormitory as president of Sophomore Eagles. Phyllis is author of *A History of the Methodist Church in Orono* which is being distributed to all members as part of the observance of the 125th Anniversary.

Virginia Cushman, daughter of Parker and Bea (Carter '30) Cushman, has received National Girl Scout Honors in being selected as one of the participants in the Experiment in International Living Program. Virginia will have a summer residence with a South American family in Sao Paulo, Brazil, with visits to South American points of interest. She has been active in Girl Scout activities since Brownie age, and followed the experience of being a camper at the Michigan Round-Up by serving as a Section Guide at the 1959 Round-Up in Denver.

Stetson and Charlotte (Cleaves) Smith are now living at 11 Lincoln Street in Augusta, Maine.

Grace Lemoine, who is now Mrs. Stanley Enick, is residing at 17 North Curtis, Alhambra, Calif.

Eunice (Copeland) Chandler is now living in England and may be reached at this address: 4 Rosslyn Hill, London N. W. 3, England. Eunice is teaching in England, while her daughter is studying there. We would like to hear from you, Eunice, concerning your experiences in Jolly Old England!

Franklyn Barrows is office manager of the Great Falls Bleachery and Dye Works of Somersworth, N. H. He lives at 20 Whitman St., Sanford.

1932 Miss Angela Miniutti
55 Ashmont St., Portland

From Harry and Louise (Beaulieu) Van Stack of Sandusky, Ohio, came an inviting looking card, made up of 4 pictures, and in the absence of any explanation, I'm guessing that the boat is the one that took them on a winter vacation trip to the land of the palm trees pictured. There is a winter snow scene which must be that of their home in Ohio, and another picture of Louise and Harry in seaman's attire, which must have been taken on their cruise. A recent clipping from the *Sandusky Register* gives an interesting account, with pictures, of the FLES (Foreign Languages in the Elementary Schools) program in the Sandusky elementary public schools. Conversational French was inaugurated there on September 30, with the third graders participating. The new course is offered after school hours and on a strictly voluntary basis. Of course you must have guessed that Louise is the teacher. She was chosen for the assignment because of her own French background and training. Remembering what a good student of French Louise was at the U. of M., I know that her third graders have an excellent teacher.

I really hit the jackpot recently when a letter arrived from Mrs. David Wilson (Don Wilson's mother) bringing current information about four cousins who shared the terrific class of '32. The four cousins are: Margaret Churchill, Newton Churchill, Donald Wilson, and Jerre Hacker. The news items are as follows.

Mrs. Glen Snyder (Margaret "Spud" Churchill) lives in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and is secretary to the chaplain at Vassar College. Glen is an industrial engineer with DeLavel Separator Co. Daughter Anne is a junior at Principia College and son Jon is in the 8th grade. The duties of a mother, homemaker, and secretary ought to keep three ordinary women "right out straight," yet Margaret has to keep busy in church work to avoid having to "twiddle her thumbs" during her spare moments.

1933 Mrs. Robert Pendleton
(Betty Barrows)
Island Falls

Dr. Hollis L. Leland, 7 Spring Garden St., Cranford, N. J., has been named assistant director of

the analytical research division of the Esso Research and Engineering Company. I quote the following from a company release: "Dr. Leland moves to the new division from the products research division where he headed the analytical section. A physical chemist, he received a doctorate from Ohio State University. His bachelor's degree, in chemical engineering, was earned at U. of M. and his master's, in physical chemistry was awarded by the University of New Hampshire. Dr. Leland joined Esso Research in 1937. He has authored several papers in the field of lubricants." This is certainly good news of a classmate—congratulations, Hollis!

Today, January 24, I read of the engagement of Mary Lovell in the *Portland Telegram*. Mary is the daughter of Horace (Pete) and Mabel Lovell who live in Brunswick. Mary is a student at Nasson College, Springvale, Maine. Her fiancé, Aviation Cadet James Fish of Brunswick and Miami, Fla., is stationed at Harlingen Air Base, Harlingen, Texas.

Ruth (Bunny Calaghan) DeCoteau of So. Paris, Oxford County Extension Service home demonstration agent, pioneered the program of "group weight control." Bunny and the ladies enrolled in this program were featured in a special write-up in the paper. Article stated the members averaged a loss of eleven pounds each. We could all use a little of your advice, Bunny.

The gals in '33 will all be pleased to learn that our friend and honorary classmate, Prof. Marion Rogers, was recently honored by the *Bangor Daily News*. She was highly complimented for her work in the field of physical education for women.

Sons and daughters of '33 often make the news for their participation in school events. I was pleased to note the picture of Lynne Josselyn, Lora (Brown) Josselyn's daughter, in the picture of Ricker College cheerleaders.

It is just possible that John Bankus has had a chance to say a Maine "Hello" in Hawaii. Tell us about it, John.

1934 Mrs. Donald P. Corbett
(“Frankie” Dean)
Route #3, Waterville

Congratulations Stan (Stanley H. Blanchard) on your appointment to the Maine State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee. A fine way to start the year. Stan lives in Cumberland Center and operates a dairy—poultry farm. Among many other noteworthy positions, he is president of the Cumberland County Extension Association, a member of American Farm Bureau, New England Milk Producers' Association, and the Maine Jersey Breeders Association. For four years he was a member of the executive board of the Maine Potato Growers. Glad to hear, Stan, that you've been working on the school committee, too!

David K. Abbott lives at 12 Pioneer Ave., Houlton, Me. David and Marion have two children: John, 18, and Jane, 4. Dave is vice president of the Houlton Trust Company, Houlton, Maine.

Neil Hamilton of Kezar Falls, Maine, is president and treasurer of the Norton Hardware Company. He is a past president of the Kezar Falls-Cornish Kiwanis Club. Neil and Mavis have a daughter of 14.

Surely do realize that "time marches on" when we report grandchildren. Freeland Ramsdell, 58 Hartford St., Natick, Mass., is the proud grandpapa of William Ward, Jr., who is now over a year old. Freeland has one daughter Valerie. Ramsdell is a plastic engineer with the U. S. Army at Natick.

Do please send along any news you may have.

1935 Mrs. Thomas S. McGuire
(Agnes Crowley)
21 Widgeon Way, Greenwich, Conn.
25th Reunion, June 3-5, 1960

Dear '35ers,

Just three months from now and a class of rejuvenated '35ers will be assembling on campus for our 25th Reunion! Do start making your plans now so that you'll surely be there.

Had a note from Lee (Blackington) Nivison at Christmas. She reports that she and Dixie (Copeland) Miller are planning to attend. They both have daughters at Colby and Bradford Jr. Lee's son, Robert Jr. III, will be graduated from Brown in June. Lee reports that she hasn't a gray hair, but looks like "The Old Gray Mare!" Wait 'till she sees what 25 years have done to some of the rest of us! And we still have one cherub ready for play school!

The plans for the Class Dinner at the Country Club, the Class Meeting, and the Alumni Banquet sound quite exciting. Everything seems to be perfectly planned for a wonderful Reunion!

Frank Myers writes that Elmer Randall is planning to be at Reunion in June. Elmer is with DuPont Experimental Station in Wilmington. Some 3,000 men and women are engaged in research at the station, and Elmer's group renders electrical

assistance to research personnel and electrical maintenance for all facilities.

Norman Ness, extension dairyman, spoke recently to the Kennebec County dairymen on proper milking procedures. All of the speakers on the program were alumni or department heads of the University.

George Carlisle has been reelected to the board of The Home for Aged Men in Bangor.

The Alumni Office reports that Frannie Knight's address is Lyndonville, Vt. Fran is Mrs. John L. Norris, Jr. And Theodore J. Crabtree is living at 520 West 120th St., Apt. 1, Los Angeles 44, Calif.

1936 Mrs. Edwin P. Webster
(Phyllis Hamilton)
258 Norway Rd., Bangor

THANK YOU, Len Shaw, for the wonderful, newsy letter which has saved the day for your poor old class secretary. Why don't more of you take pity on me?

The Shaws have for the past 16 years, lived in Illinois, where Len is in the purchasing dept. of Swift and Co. The family consists of Fran, Len's wife, who is from Mass. and a graduate of Simmons. She is now busy with P.T.A., Sunday school, Campfire Girls, Cubs, and many committees; also busy with the little Shaws (and I'll quote Len's description of them). "Cindy, age 13, 8th grade, Campfire Girl, quite musical, and very active in church and other teen-age goings on; Don, age 9, cub scout, baseball, a typical wound-up all American boy; and Ken, age 6, heart-breaker of the school kindergarten, the solid, husky type, and already picked by several U. of M. alumni as star full-back at the University in 1973." They have spent the last seven summers at Biddeford Pool and have seen Art Roberts, Carl Davis, Mel Means and Sam Swazey. The Shaws' address is 424 So. Brainard St., La Grange, Ill.

Frank Doe and his family (three children) are neighbors of the Shaws, and Frank is in the engineering dept of Swift and Co.

From the "Lost File."

Betty Crowley Bell (Mrs. Garland) lives at 1407 Westmoreland Rd., Falls Church, Va.

Col. Roland Gleszer is Deputy Brigade Commander, 25th Division Brigade, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii

Mary Pery Litke (Mrs. Richard) is a teacher in Thomaston High School, Thomaston, Conn., and lives at Wells Drive, R.F.D. 1, Farmington, Conn.

1937 Mr. Edwin H. Bates
8 College Heights, Orono

In the event you folks have been waiting for the new metro mail service to be started in Maine to take care of your communications for the class column—it's now in operation. So give it a try—and give us some news.

The Alumni Office saves us from default this month by providing the following clippings:

George Hitchings, manager economic-analysis department, Ford Motor Company, was quoted in the January 4, 1960, *U. S. News and World Report* as predicting a ten percent increase in new car sales, up seven million in 1960.

A portrait of the late James F. Dow was unveiled at a ceremony at Dow A.F.B. last November 29.

J. Craig Cameron was recently named manager of technical services at B. F. Goodrich Footwear and Flooring Company at Watertown, Mass. Jim and wife and two sons, Peter, 10, and James C., III (freshman at U. of M.), live at 22 Manning Road in Waltham, Mass.

Don't forget the mail—Metro mail, that is, for next month's column.

1938 Mr. Robert L. Fuller
31 Andrews Ave., Falmouth Foreside

Between the Alumni office and my Aroostook correspondent (Waldo F. Hardison) I may get a column together. Waldo writes (?) as follows: "Basil Fox operates a potato (what else) and dairy farm in Wade, Me. They have four children (three sons and one daughter). Their oldest son Gary and our son Bob were born on the same day and are now playing basketball against each other, just like their 'old men' did many years ago. Arthur Crouse has a fine farm operation in Patten.

Earl Leavitt works for the Coop Farm Credit and apparently extends his cooperative efforts from work to home—he and his wife and seven children live in Houlton. I saw Henry Lowe recently; he is still with the Farmers Home Adms. His son graduated from U. of M. last June. Did you know Henry is a grandfather? He seems to be standing up under it pretty well, but his chest has expanded about an inch. Randy West is with the Soil Conserv. Ser with offices in Fort Kent."

The New York School of Social Work is the major beneficiary under terms of the will of the late John Q. Douglas. John Douglas left an estimated \$20,000 in real and personal estate to the school. It will be used to establish a student loan fund.

What a shock to pick up the January 11, 1960, *Bangor Daily* and see A. Veague's handsome visage—just fresh from being intalled worshipful master of St. Andrews Lodge.

Be sure to heed Marge and Dunc Cotting's latest missive when you receive it soon—remember our goal—also send me news.

1939 Mrs. Norman H. Thompson
(Phoebe Dunbar)

87 Whipple Rd., Kittery
DeWitt Skinner's address is 1 Hillside Ave., Keene, N. H.

Helen (Bond) McCutchan of 1961 S. E. 16 Court, Pompano Beach, Fla., was written up in the AOPi magazine—*To Drama*. Helen was selected by the Alumnae Club of Broward County in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., as the outstanding member of the year. Ft. Lauderdale's choice is the wife of an insurance executive, enjoys swimming and photography with her husband and two young daughters, and was recently elected to the Girl Scout board of directors as camp committee chairman. Proud to call you "Friend," Helen

Edward P. Cyr of 489 Main St., Madawaska, sought election to the seat left vacant by John H. Reed's accession to the governorship. Ed is a Republican in Aroostook County and he was elected.

Merrill R. Bradford, 233 Cedar St., Bangor, has been appointed to head the Kathadin Area Council's National Jamboree Committee. Bradford will be responsible for directing the Jamboree Committee which will see 37 boys and 3 leaders attend the National Encampment at Colorado Springs, Colo., next July 20-28.

Blair Stevens lives at 2229 Riverside Ave., Jacksonville 4, Fla.

1940 Mrs. Artemus Weatherbee
(Pauline Jellison)

9302 Second Ave., Silver Spring, Md.

20th Reunion, June 3-5, 1960

Three months from now we will be celebrating our Twentieth Reunion. Let's try to make it a memorable affair. A few of the "old faithfuls" have already started to make plans, and we hope that you will all join us and add your enthusiasm to ours. We are starting a fund for a scholarship and hope that you will squeeze a little out of the grocery money to add to it. You can send your checks to Bill Treat, 426 Lafayette Rd., Hampton, N. H., making them payable to—"University of Maine Class 1940 Scholarship Fund." Some of those who are starting to work on plans already are Jim Ashby in the Fort Fairfield area, Alice Ann Poeppelmeier in Conn., and John Maines in Bangor. John is recruiting Dick Dyer and Basil Smith who both live in Orono, and John Carlisle, Jack Littlefield and Neil Sawyer in the Bangor area, and Bill Chandler, Lin Rideout, and Fred Holt. If everyone reading this column will write a letter to one friend from '40, we should have a wonderful group in June. And I'm sure your committee will come up with some plans fitting for such a group!

We saw Dr. and Mrs. Hauck at the Maine State Reception today (Jan. 31). Both are well and very happy. Peg's oldest daughter, Gail, is at U. of M. and made the Dean's list first semester. Following in her mother's footsteps.

I received a note from Barbara (Welch) Wilson. She hopes to come back to our 20th. And if she can come all the way from 508-16th Place, Edmonds, Wash., everyone should be able to come. Barbara keeps busy with a unit working for the Children's Home and a local hospital auxiliary. Her David is in 2nd grade, Randy in first, and Susan, 2½. Barb had heard from Phyllis (Marks) Cohen (more news please?) that Fred Libby's daughter is married. So we're getting old!

Albert Bouchard is now a potato consultant for Farm Forecasting Agency, N. Y. His home address is 230 Jay St., Apt. 12 J, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Kenneth Bouchard is head of the Bouchard Potato Co. He is at home at 9 Vaughan St., Caribou.

For once I am in the enviable position of having more news than I need. So I am keeping some of your letters tucked away till later.

Don't forget to get busy—write letters and a check today to Bill Treat, please!

1941 Mrs. Constance P. Leger
(Connie Philbrook)

Philbrook Farm Inn, Shelburne, N. H.

While I'm watching Dave Astor on T.V. (Channel 13 on Sat. P.M.), I'll send this word to you. Dave, Esta, and the children, Kenneth and Marcha, had a pleasant thing happen to them while they were in N. Y. C. over the New Year holiday. It was New Year's Eve and wanting to see Harry Bellafonte, they went to the Palace Theater, but found that there were no tickets available. Dave spotted a man who proved to be the manager. After they explained that they were from out of town, etc., the manager invited them in as his guests. Lucky folks!

And now to continue with our Christmas news—Don and Skip (Creamer) Wilson have moved to Camden and are living on High Street near Charlene and Walter Strang. Do you really have 40 rooms in your house, Skip?

Will and Fran (Sawyer) Alford have been skiing in Canada with the children and then while the children were in camp, they took a trip through Maine to Quebec.

Melvin and Ruth (Benson) Landon are living in Kennebunkport, Rte. 1, Box 159. Ruth is at Webber Hospital in Biddeford and Melvin is on the faculty at Nason College. Their daughter is a Freshman at "Maine." Is she the first from '41? They also have a son, Frank.

Jack and Isabelle (Garvin) Maasen are busy trying to keep up with the doings of their boys.

Len and Helen (Wormwood) Pierce have had a successful time showing their horses this summer. We missed seeing each other at the Lancaster fair where we both were. She was showing horses and my Ann was in a 4-H style show.

A darling picture came of Amy Wight at the age of 9 mo.; she was born 8½ mos. after her father died of a heart attack. Ruth (White) has sold their house in N. J. and has moved to 37 Marshall St., Milford, Conn. Her oldest child, Steve, is a Junior in high school and her other children are in the 9th, 8th, and 5th grades.

Anyone interested in advice on the law can see Borris Kleiner at 681 Main St., Room 2, Waltham, Mass. He was formerly a partner of the firm of Meyers, Kleiner, and Meyers and now has his own office.

Tau Epsilon Phi is raising money for a new house on Campus. Milford "Mike" Cohen is president of the Holding Company which is putting on the Fund Drive.

At the moment, skiing is perfect so come on up.

1942 Mrs. Gilbert Y. Taverner
(Bette Barker Kilpatrick)

80 Vernon St., Brookline 46, Mass.

In the process of working on the Class Agent system for '42, we are hearing from some of the people who have been long silent, and we love it! We just hope that there will be a continual flow of news from all of you...

Beth (Stone) Gray lives in Troy with husband Wilmot, where potatoes and dairy cattle are their business. They have one son, Peter, who is nine. Beth is Town Clerk, which she says she enjoys very much because she gets to see "just about everyone in town."

In that lovely Penobscot Bay country Susan (Abbott) Farris is living on Reservoir St., Searsport, with State Trooper husband, Roger, and four children, Jane, 12, Roger, Jr.—better known as "Chipper"—11, Dale, 8, and Lorrie, 2. Susan says she is caught up in that web of scouts P.T.A., church, etc., which so many mothers of school children are!

Howard Cousins' name appears in the newspapers about as often as anyone's! Latest news items regarding him are that he has been serving as president of the Maine Tuberculosis Association and has recently been re-elected to the board of directors of the New England Council. Howie is assistant to the president of the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad.

From the northland of Aroostook County comes a Christmas card message from Jeannette (Berry) Whitten saying that she does substitute teaching and likes the change of pace it affords. Daughter Jane keeps her hopping otherwise. Her comment on the Class Agent system is that "it just might work! We agree, Jeannette, we think it will, if everyone will pitch in and cooperate!"

A new address for Arlene (Webster) Earley came at Christmas time—168 East Stafford Ave., Worthington, Ohio. The Earleys were in East Longmeadow, Mass., the last we knew. Their children

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are now: Marilyn, 10, Peggy, nearly 8, and Billy 4. Joe Mullen is now living at 4858 Lawrence Dr., Sacramento, Calif. He is an architect with Safeway Stores and was in San Francisco previously. Send news... send news... send news...

1943 Mrs. Donald V. Taverne
(Olive Rowell)
9 Chapel Rd., Orono

A long letter from Bob and Freda (Flanders) Lycette arrived recently. Bob summed up 14 years in a hurry. In 1946 he went from the South Pacific to Massena, N. Y., where he was in industrial engineering for about 6 months, and then staff mechanical engineering with Alcoa until November 1952. Heather was born in April, 1951. He transferred to the purchasing dept. and moved to Alcoa's Edgewater, N. J. works. In April of 1956 he transferred to Pittsburgh, still with Alcoa. Freda keeps busy with such activities as League of Women Voters, Mothers' Club, "not to mention that most important job of all, being an excellent mother and making the happiest home there is anywhere!" Heather is extremely enthusiastic about horses, and loves school. Recently she joined a Brownie troop. Bob is now doing liaison work between the sales and purchasing depts. at Alcoa, which gives him a wide variety of projects to handle.

"A year ago Jim and Jo (Solie) Logan stopped in with their giant of a son, Donald, during the holiday season. We've seen them on and off during the years. Jim is back teaching at Columbia and they are living at Ardsley, N. Y., now.

"We often wonder how many of the Class of '43 pass within shouting distance of us here. We are just 4½ miles from the Butler Valley Interchange of the Pennsylvania Turnpike and would be pleased to have weary "Mainiacs" drop in for a cup of coffee and a bite to eat. . . . Our phone is HU 6-3668." Thanks so very much to the Lycettes for such a long letter!

Bob sent along a copy of Peter and Alicia (Coffin) Corea's Christmas letter. It is filled with evidences of a busy, happy life. Young Bill, 7½, is in the second grade at Milton Academy, and is taking piano lessons. The closing of the letter is so beautiful, I'd like to quote it here for you all. "Our thoughts reach out to you and to the future, and we are strengthened to know that there are so many places where love dwells and where the work for peace is being done. . . ." May we echo these sentiments so beautifully expressed by the Coreas

1944 Mrs. Charles S. Cook
(Margaret McCurdy)
314 Summer St., Auburn

Charlie Rowley has moved to 171 Carlos Grana Elizalde, San Isidro, Lima, Peru, South America.

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Melvin Libby's new address is 78 Parkwoods Rd., Manhasset, N. Y.

Charles Carrier, Jr., is living at 2219 Boyer St., Apt. 6, Charlotte, N. C.

Dwight Sawin has a new address: Capt. Dwight Sawin 0-2288257, Hq 24 Sig. Bn., APO 112, New York, N. Y.

Charlie Stickney was recently elected chairman of the Yarmouth Republican town committee.

Herb Bailey is president of the Alpha Chapter of the Maine Society of Professional Engineers which covers Kennebec, Androscoggin, Somerset, and Sagadahoc counties. Herb has been an engineer with the Bridge Division State Highway Commission since 1948.

Jim and Kate (McCurdy) Warren have recently returned from a vacation in Florida.

"Hokie Adams" father sent an article from the *Eastern States Cooperator* entitled, "Pig Feeding Is Science" written by Dr. Holyoke P. Adams. I'm sure I couldn't do as well so will quote from the "Meet the Author" article.

"Hokie" Adams received his doctorate degree from University of Wisconsin in 1952. His dissertation was based on Fat Utilization by Dairy Cattle. Since 1951, "Hokie" has worked with the Eastern States feed research, with special emphasis on dairy and swine nutrition. Massachusetts reared, he attended the University of Maine which granted him the B.S. degree in 1947. The next year he received the M.S. degree at the University of Wisconsin. He has written three papers for publication in scientific and technical journals.

"Hokie" has been honored by membership in Alpha Zeta, national agricultural fraternity, Phi Kappa Phi, national honorary fraternity, Gamma Alpha, national graduate fraternity. His scholarship was further recognized in his receipt of two Wisconsin Alumni Research Foundation graduate assistantships and one Wisconsin all-university fellowship. At Maine he was secretary and president of Phi Kappa Sigma, his social fraternity; secretary of the Interfraternity Council; treasurer of the Agricultural Club.

"Hokie" served 3½ years in the army, including one year in the Philippines. He reached the grade of first lieutenant.

At this time I would like to thank you for all the support you have given me in the past and hope you will all give Joey Ingalls a hearty welcome with floods of mail for her to use in this class column.

1945 Mrs. Robert Dutton
(Dottie Currier)
79 Revere St., Portland
15th Reunion, June 3-5, 1960

We are happy to hear that Marie (Haines) Pancoast and family are now settled in their new home in Indiana. Bob is district manager for Cutler-Hammer in that area. Babs seems very pleased with the house and location and it is just five minutes from Bob's suburban office. Babs is already back into Scout work and AAUW that she has been so actively participating in for the past few years. The girls are getting acquainted and are enjoying their new schools and it sounds as if the Pancoast family is a very happy one. The new address is 4503 Radnor Rd., Indianapolis 26, Indiana—if I read Babs' writing correctly.

Last Thursday my Mother, the children and I had lunch with Margaret (Brown) and Dana Bunker—and three year old Peter, at their new address 325 Minot Ave., Auburn. They have a nice big yellow house on a corner lot with good view and handy place to ski out back. We are so glad to have them back in Maine and less than an hour's ride from us.

We received a card and note from Carolyn (Chaplin) Bradley and family at Christmas time, and she says that they are planning to build a house in the spring. What wonderful news! With Bill's talent in building and his "green thumb" in landscaping combined with Carolyn's ability in interior decorating, the Bradleys will once again have a house that looks like those you see in magazines. Carolyn also said that Leo Pratt dropped in to see them in November and was "looking great." The Pratts are now residents of Farmington where Leo has an insurance business, as I reported in a previous column.

Priscilla (Moore) Cannon wrote that they bought a year-round home on a lake just eight miles from Camden where they plan to live summers and weekends in the Fall. They had a cook-out last summer with the Boyntons (Maddy Nevers) who live on Park Street in Camden. During the winter months mail reaches the Connors at 115 High St., Ipswich, Mass.

The Alumni Office sends the following changes of address:
Milton Cameron, c/o Sherry-Biltmore Hotel, 150 Mass Ave., Boston.

Nathaniel Bartholomae, Old Castle Point Rd., Wappingers Falls, N. Y.

William Rigby, Jr., 341 Woods Run Dr., Newark, Ohio.

Our 15th reunion time is getting nearer and the list of '45ers planning to attend is lengthening. I shall try to print the names of those I have, in the next column, so drop me a card and let me know if YOU are making tentative plans to be there. Don't miss the fun in Orono on June 3, 4, and 5! You will not have another chance like this until 1965!

Contributions to our class treasury may be sent to Barbara (Higgins) Bodwell, 26 Orchard Rd., Florham Park, N. J.

1947 Mrs. Walter C. Brooks
(Peg Spaulding)
57 Leighton Street, Bangor

Georgia (Parsons) Eustis of 3 Paul Street, Brunswick, Me., sent me enough news for this month's column and I am grateful. She and Penn are working at the Recreation Center and enjoying every minute of it. Their children are Scott, 7, Steve, 3½, and Penney, 2½.

Robert and Ozzie (Perkins) Cool have a new son born August 5. Their other children are Janet, Linda, and Raymond. The address is 221 Lawry Rd., Erie, Penn.

A different address for John and Shirley (Castner) Kenoyer is RFD 3, Duffy Road, Watertown, N. Y.

William and Barbara (Weick) Flora of 131 Dudley St., Presque Isle, Me., have a new son Gregory. Their other son is Carl and from the picture looks like Bill.

Mavis E. York of 21 Second St., Bangor, is now working as a bookkeeper at the Eastern Trust & Banking Co.

A new address for Mary Ann (Barlow) Peavey is 121 Ridgeland Ave., So. Portland, Me.

Inez (MacKinnon) Hyner lives at 492 Main St., Lewiston, Me. with husband Patrick and their children are Patricia, Danno and Patrick M.

Mrs. Louise Fetting, director of home economics, State Department of Education, recently spoke to the Women's Legislative Council in Augusta on "Homemaking Education in Maine." Mrs. Fetting was graduated from Russell Sage College, Troy, N. Y., with B.S. degree in Home Economics. She received her M.A. degree in Education from the U. of M. in 1947. She then taught home economics in the C. K. Burns Junior High School of Saco for several years. From 1947 to 1953 Mrs. Fetting served as an itinerant teacher-trainer. Since 1953 she has been in her current position. She is a past president of the Maine Division of the American Assn. of University Women.

1948 Mrs. Richard S. Foster
(Jean Campbell)
15 Donamor Lane
East Longmeadow, Mass.

A drab winter month is certainly brightened by the first news item I have for you this month. I know the entire class will rejoice at the announcement of the marriage of Kayo (Foley) Reardon to John K. Dineen '51, on February 20. John is the brother of Mary Anne (Dineen) Fairbanks. After his graduation from Maine, John graduated from Boston University School of Law and is now a member of the law firm of Weston, Patrick and Stevens in Boston. I, for one, am delighted at this good news and know the entire class joins me in extending hearty congratulations and best wishes to both Kayo and John. Let us hear from you one of these days, Kayo, as to the address to use from now on and about your plans for the future.

Another wedding announcement for us to celebrate is that of Melvin L. Naseck to Barbara R. Haytowitz of Everett, Mass. The wedding took place in December. The bride is a graduate of Burdett College. The couple are making their home in Winthrop.

Still another groom from the class of '48. George R. Nelson of Framingham was married to Marian E. Howes on November 21 at St. Andrews Episcopal Church in Framingham. After a wedding trip to Bermuda, the couple settled down at 141 Winter St., Framingham, Mass.

News of a fine promotion for one of our classmates reaches us this month. In November, Robert W. Coffin of Torrington, Conn., was named the new plant manager of the New Home Plant of Orange, Mass. He has been with the Torrington Company since 1948, serving as project engineer at the Excelsior Plant. He is a registered professional engineer of the State of Maine and has

been active in the Industrial Management Club of Conn. and the Litchfield County Engineering Association. Bob is married and the father of three children, ages 6 to 10. We will look for an Orange, Mass., address from him soon.

A little bit about me—Have just spent 3 weeks substitute teaching in the co-operative kindergarten here. Quite a handful for a novice, but it's been a wonderful experience!

See you all next month—if there is some news forthcoming!

1949 Mrs. Oscar R. Hahnel, Jr.
(Julie Shores)
12 Jepson Ave., Lewiston

It has been skiing weather in Maine, plenty of snow and a couple new slopes to try this year. But for those of us who would rather read, here is news of some '49's.

Two of our classmates have recently taken new positions as librarians. Jeanette Staples began her duties as librarian at the Jesup Memorial Library at Bar Harbor on January first, and Mary Haskell was recently appointed librarian of the Brewer High School. She was formerly librarian at the Brewer Public Library.

Carroll McGary has moved from Belfast to Westbrook, where he is the new superintendent of schools. He is living at 75 Stroudwater St., Westbrook.

Fred Thurlow joined the Lexington High School faculty this fall as assistant principal, with major responsibilities in the field of guidance. Fred was formerly principal of the Bar Harbor High School.

Fred and Barbara (Prescott) have three children—Ann, 8, and twins David and Douglass, 4. Their present address is 11 Pine Hill Rd., Bedford, Mass.

Ronald Stewart is now sales manager of Coles Express Company in Bangor.

Daryl and Gloria (Dow) Pelletier were at the Dow Air Force Base in Bangor in November for the unveiling of a portrait of her late brother, Lt. James F. Dow, in whose memory the base was named.

Had a note from Louise (Hilton) Varnum to say that they are moving from Dover, N. H., to Norridgewock. Lennie '48 will have charge of sales and service for Wirthmore Feeds Inc. in the state. Kathy, 9, and Becky, 6, will be busy getting used to a new school, but Louise will have Eddie, 4, to help her get settled in the new home.

We also have some "stock" returns—Curley and Peggy (Hobbs '51) Gordon welcomed their fourth in November which makes them two of each. Curley is poultry supervisor for Wirthmore Feeds Inc. in the Houlton area.

Francis and Nancy (Carter) Bishop are the proud parents of William Steven, born October 24. He will be a fine playmate of Bradford who is two. Frank (Bowdoin '50) was promoted to assistant director of personnel for Chesebrough-Ponds Co. and transferred to the New York office, so the Bishops have moved to a new home on Ledgewood Drive in Norwalk, Conn.

Dana and Jan (Crane) Jacobs have named their boy Andrew Cram, born July 27. Dana is working for Utica Paper Co., and the family is living in Clinton, N. Y.

I have had letters from several of you since the new year, and I wish that I could get all the news into this month's column. We are limited to a certain amount of space, so if your news doesn't appear this month, please be patient.

1950 Rev. Richard R. Davis
Church Avenue, Peaks Island, Portland
10th Reunion, June 3-5, 1960

Well, we begin this month's column with a letter from Ruth (Holland) McIlwain, our former class secretary. Ruth writes that Bob is now an industrial engineer with the Ford Motor Company in Mahwah, N. J. The children are Debbie in the 1st grade, Ginny in kindergarten, and Barbie ready and waiting for next year. Their address is: 6 Ann Place, Monroe, New York.

Dr. C. J. Douglass has been named one of the co-chairmen of the Rochester, N. H., March of Dimes.

Rev. R. G. Hinds has accepted a call to be the pastor of the United Protestant Church of Park Forest, Ill.

Captain Carl Dahlberg, Jr. is a project officer in the Air Force program of nuclear research development at Kirkland AFB, New Mexico.

James V. Coyne, Jr. is resigning his office as the Provincetown, Mass., town manager.

Donald J. Waring is resigning his office as Brewer, Maine, town manager to accept a position in private industry.

Received a notice of a very welcome addition to Alan and Beverly (Fowle '56) St. James. The addition is no less than Arthur Donald who was born December 23, 1959. Congrats.... The proud parents live at: 185 Clinton Avenue, Apt. 9 D, Brooklyn, New York.

Julian W. Turner is a municipal judge in Presque Isle, Maine. Address is 443 Main St., Presque Isle.

Capt. Grosvenor Hamilton Letarte is stationed in Izmir, Turkey, and is a judge advocate in the U. S. Air Force. His address is: Det. 20, TUSLOG, APO 224, New York.

Alice Margaret (Noyes) Hamm is employed in the Bangor area. Her address: Mrs. Harold I. Hamm, 308 Center Street, Bangor, Maine.

Shri. Chandrakant S. Kirloskar wishes to inform his friends of his recent change of address which now is: The Mysore Kirloskar Ltd., Yantrapur P.O. Mysore State—India.

I close with a letter from "Maggie" Mollison who writes over \$150.00 has been received to date for the '50 Alumni Reunion. The reunion committee met on January 27th at the home of Lenny Minsky where further plans were made concerning the June Reunion. Many \$2.00 checks are beginning to come in as well as larger contributions. Those wishing to send their check or money order should forward it to: Mr. Edward F. Libby, Treas. Class of 1950—10th Reunion Fund, Merrill Trust Company, Orono, Maine.

"D-Day" will be Friday, June 3, 1960. There will be a banquet that evening at the Pilot's Grill in Bangor. The banquet will be part of the festivities of the Reunion-Commencement Weekend of June 3, 4, and 5th, 1960. The committee on arrangements are: Donald J. Waring of Brewer, Lewis E. Clark of Orono, Dr. Howard Berg and Roland MacLeod of Bangor. Jean (Polleys) Fenslon and Polly (Clement) Barron of Bangor are co-chairmen of the attendance committee.

1951 Mrs. Frank J. Schmidt
(Mary-Ellen Michaud)
326 Union Ave., S.E.
Grand Rapids 6, Michigan

Michigan is much like Maine, at least in respect to the amount of snow one sees on the ground. Makes me somewhat homesick and I find myself scheming to return soon for a visit. Next year is our Reunion, but that doesn't help this year—darn!

Engagements: Sally Dike of Orange, Mass., to Richard Ballou.

Mrs. Carolyn (Foley '48) Reardon to John Dieneen.

Births: Al Mason writes that they have a new son, Mark Kevin, born on December 27 who brings their total to three; Scott, 3, and Melanie, 2, being the others. Al is now director of the student union at Eastern Illinois University. Any Maine Alums are cordially invited to drop in and visit at 78 McLeod St., Charleston, Ill.

Greg '52 and Winnie (Ramsdall) Macfarlan announce that Scott has a new sister, Deborah Ann.

The Millard Moors have a son born December 19.

Jim and Carol (Andrews) Cavanaugh are now living at 32 Plum St., Riverside, R. I., where Jim is an engineer at Esso. The Cavanaughs at the moment include Carolyn, but June will see a new addition.

Richard Swanson is employed at duPont de Nemours and lives at 629 Watt St., Martinsville, Va.

Oscar Whalen is teaching in Jacksonville and can be found at 10713 Briarcliff Rd., Jacksonville 8, Fla.

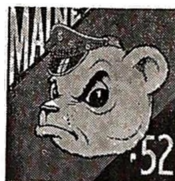
Charleton King is at Standard Brands in Peekskill, N. Y., and lives on Star Route, Shrub Oak, N. Y.

William '49 and Maxine (Lambert) Gowan live on RFD 2, Merrill Rd., Freeport, where William is a boxmaker and poultryman and Maxine a homemaker and mother.

Harley Remick has been selected for promotion to a key position in the planning department design division of the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard. Harley will supervise the marine piping and components section, Marine Branch.

Stanley Eddy has been named assistant trust officer of the South Shore National Bank in Weymouth, Mass. Stanley was previously associated with the Old Colony Trust Co. of Boston.

Richard Noyes has accepted a position with the Great Northern Paper Company in Millinocket.



Mrs. Charles Begley
(Jeanne Frye)
Waldoboro

Stork News: Richard and Louise Connolly have a new daughter, Diane McCarthy, who arrived on December 30.... Greg and Winnie (Ramsdall) Macfarlan also have a new daughter, Deborah Ann, who first appeared on December 29. She is now living with her parents and brother, Scott, at 3-A Lakeview, Arlington, Mass.

Richard and Shirley (Libby) Davis moved last August to 573 Applewood Dr., Youngstown, N. Y. For the past four years, Dick has been employed by Uhl, Hall, and Rich, consulting engineers for the New York State Power Authority on the St. Lawrence Power Project in connection with the Seaway. He has now been transferred to the Niagara Falls Power Project. He and Shirley have an adopted son, Averill, 10, and a foster son, Danny, 6. Thank you for the nice letter and I appreciate your sentiment, that more of our classmates would send news to this column.

And thanks to Lionel Kelley for his informative letter. He is now employed as a highway engineer by the Maine State Highway Commission and assigned to its Division 2 office in Ellsworth. This division covers Hancock and Washington Counties. Lionel and his wife, Jean (Cousins '55) and two children, Pamela, 5, and Scott, 1½, have a home at 36 Chapel St., Ellsworth, but are currently living in Calais at 3 Franklin St. where Lionel has been assigned as resident engineer for a highway reconstruction project. They expect to be there until September when Pam will start school in Ellsworth.

Ralph C. "Bud" Ham has announced his candidacy for the Maine Legislature. Bud has been active in politics since his undergraduate days at U. of M., but this is the first time he has run for an office. He owns and operates the Sargent, Kennedy, and Adams Ins. Co. in Brewer as well as Ham's Real Estate Co. Bud and Margo ("Flutter" Floyd) Ham have three children, Brenda, 6, Margo, 4, and Philip, 1.

1953 Mrs. Philip E. Johnson
(Eini Riutta)
South Penobscot

Anyone seen that first green blade of grass or old robin redbreast yet? I've had spring fever since the January thaw and there is a certain "something" about the air these early mornings.

I was delighted to have a letter from Marie (Oakman) Lord recently. She and Phil '55 had their first child born last June 9—a daughter, Margaret Anne. Phil is a project engineer with IBM and their current address is Knapp Road, Vestal, N. Y.

Neil Littlefield is now an assistant professor of Law at Creighton University of Law, Omaha, Nebraska. He received his L.L.B. degree from Boston University in 1957 and his L.L.M. degree from the University of Michigan in 1959. He is married to the former Marjorie Belchard of Flint, Michigan.

Earle A. Cooper has been elected principal of the new So. Berwick High School, effective February 22. He has previously taught in Brooks and has served as principal of the Pemaquid Consolidated school for the past five years. He is married to the former Cora Sanborn of East Buckfield and they have four children.

Ed and I had a nice evening's visit with Jan (Hovey) Wiggin awhile back. We missed Dave, who was out of town recruiting for the Maine Maritime Academy, but we did enjoy seeing Jan again. She also helped me through Mark's tonsillectomy recently with black coffee, cigarettes, and encouragement. (They live just two blocks from the hospital so I went down for some consolation about the time they wheeled our 3-year old into the operating room.) Boy—am I glad that's over with!

This month's column is about over with, too. How about some news from you?

1954 Mrs. R. L. Weatherbee
(Martha Jean Wyman)
M.R.B. Box 270-A, Bangor

Hello again... Wish I could write you a nice long newsy column this month, but I need your

help first. Our classmate came to my rescue this time. Thomas Monaghan wrote that he is serving as law clerk to Judge John Kilbenny of the United States District Court of Oregon. Tom graduated from Boston College Law School in June 1959. He and Anne live at 3306 Wister St., Milwaukie, Oregon. Thank you, Tom, for the news of these other classmates that you sent along.

Ronald Anderson graduated from Harvard Law School last June and is now attending Harvard Business School.

David Dinneen will graduate from the Ontario School of Veterinary Medicine this year. His address is Ontario School of Vet. Med., Guelph, Ontario, Canada.

Mary Small was married this past summer to Wallace Eckton. He is a teaching fellow at the University of Washington in Seattle. Their address is 409 10th North, Seattle 2, Washington.

From newspaper clippings etc., I dug up more news...

James and Gloria (Young '55) Horsfall are now living at 23 Woodside Terrace, Springfield 8, Mass. They have a son Benjamin and a daughter, Lisa.

Clinton and Maria (St. Angelo) Ifill are living at 1204 So Santa Fe Avenue, Vista, Calif. They also have a son and a daughter.

Patricia Wallace is an employee of Trans World Airlines in their record department at 42nd St., N Y C. Her address is 333 East 43rd St., New York 17, New York.

John E. McKay has been appointed chairman of Bangor's 1960 Heart Fund Drive. John received his LL B degree from Boston University Law School last June and has opened a law office in Bangor. He is engaged to Beverly Stearns and they will be married in May.

David A. Carey is a social caseworker for the State Department of Health and Welfare. His address is 23 Academy St., Hallowell, Maine.

Phillip and Jeanne (Leveille) Hannan are announcing the arrival of a son on January 27. His name will be the same as "Pops." He has a big sister Kathy, who is two years old. They live at 348 State St., Bangor.

1955 Miss Hilda Sterling
1003 North Ocean Ave.
Seaside Park, N. J.

5th Reunion, June 3-5, 1960

Our reunion plans are coming along fine, and I hope that **YOU WILL BE COMING to Orono for the big affair!**

A summer wedding is being planned by Grace Weston, Fryeburg, and John E. Gordon. He is a member of the faculty at Fryeburg Academy.

Maggie Booker, who is teaching in West Hartford, Conn., has revealed plans to wed Pranas Lape, a native of Lithuania, this summer. Her address is 30 Maplewood Ave., West Hartford.

Karlene Graham and Keith Mahaney '57, an army veteran, were married on November 7. They can be reached at Horizons West, Greenville, where they are on the high school staff. She teaches home economics, and he is a coach.

Katherine Zoidis became the bride of Lt. Jerry Cole, New Bern, N. C., on November 8. Kathy is employed at Dow Air Force Base, Bangor, where he is stationed.

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A December 27 ceremony united Maxine Shatz, Portland, and Gerald Snider. They are living at 259 Hill St., Biddeford, where he is employed by Day's Jewelry Store.

Betty Starnes, Columbia, S. C., and Capt. Gerald B'Rells "tied the knot" on February 14. Jerry received his degree in dental medicine at Tufts University. At present, he is with the U. S. Army in South Carolina.

The June 3 arrival of David Normand has been announced by his parents Gene and Sis (Fournier) Normand. Cindy is delighted with her brother, too. Their new home is located at 112 Main St., North Chelmsford, Mass.

Names and Places...

Paul and Jan (Bishop) Butler, 17 Glendale Rd., South Portland.

Joseph DiGiovanni, 117 Sycamore St., Belmont 79, Mass.

William Bossert, 48 Embury Ave., Ocean Grove, N. J.

Roland Dubay, 38 Morton St., Winthrop.

Laura (Wilson) Messenger, 2107 Norwalk Ave., Los Angeles 41, Calif.

Maurice Wilkinson, P. O. Box 33, Upper Black Eddy, Penn.

"Duke" '56 and Joan (Mason) Lane, 15 Manley St., Augusta.

Betsy Pullen is employed in the chemical department of the Empire Trust Co. Her address is 45 Pineapple St., Apt 1-A, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Don Curley writes that he is employed by the Connecticut Light and Power Co., Berlin, Conn. Maine alums are invited to visit the Curleys—Don, Betty, Donald, Jr., and Mary Ellen—at their new home on 10 Joelle Dr., Portland, Conn.

Another Connecticut couple—Mert and Sandy (Glorsky) Robinson—have a "welcome mat" at their house, too. The address is 32 Merritt Pl., Meriden, Conn. Mert has been appointed district sales manager in the New England States for the Precision Drawn Steel Co., Pennsauken, N. J. Sandy teaches fourth grade at the John Barry School, South Meriden.

Muriel Verrill has solved the letter writing problem—a "ditto" letter. However, with her busy schedule at Santa Ynez High School—six classes in vocational homemaking, Dean of Girls, advisor to the FHA, teacher-sponsor of the Junior Red Cross, co-sponsor of the sophomore class, supervisor of the cafeteria, etc.—studying, skiing, flying and camping, I can understand her need for a time-saving method. If you want to learn about life in "the valley" where she has lived for five years, you can send your inquiry to Box 1131, Solvang, Calif.

1956 Miss Judith A. MacPherson
Taneytown, Maryland

In a few short months we'll be four-year Alums! In another short year we'll be at our Fifth Reunion. Hope you're planning now to come as it's already on the books as a unique occasion, about which you'll all be hearing much more in the near future.

A note from George Tillson tells us that he's been promoted to general foreman of the Resins Department of Columbia Southern Chemical Corporation. Since graduation he and Rose (Gorham '51) have added a son and daughter to the clan, making a total of three sons and two daughters! Congratulations go to 134 South Pardee St., Wadsworth, Ohio.

For those of you who are not sure... Stu Haskell is assistant publicity director here at the University of Maine and also handles Maine State Athletic Publicity (MIAA).

A card from Katherine Black gives her address as 6 Rue de Lubeck, Paris 16, France. She's studying in Paris for a year.

Richard T. Bjorn has been transferred to the Portland Office of the New Hampshire Insurance Group. Formerly Dick traveled for the group in eastern Pennsylvania.

Joseph C. Dell has accepted employment with the New York State Civil Service in Ithaca, and sends his address as 412 South Albany St., of that city.

Wilfred L. Henry is working for the St Croix Paper Company at Woodland and receives his mail through General Delivery there.

A long letter from Gene and Annette (Langevin) Arsenault, who were married in 1958, told me they are back at the University after a three year tour of duty in Europe. Gene is finishing the chemical engineering course and Annette is teaching Freshman and Sophomore English at Mattanawcook Academy in Lincoln. For those who are driving through, the Arsenaults live at 64 Lee Street.

Earlene Kneeland also lives on Lee Street in Lincoln—No. 47. She is teaching English and coaching girls' basketball and softball at Mattanawcook Academy.

Gloria and Dick Bangs welcomed a son last October, and big brother Ricky, aged two, has a playmate! They are all stationed in Germany, and the address is: 1st Lieutenant Richard C. Bangs, 04066158, "C" Battery 5th Msl Bn, 1st Arty, APO 28, New York, N. Y.

Milton and Ruth (Nyberg) Day are living at 65 Chapman St., Quincy 70, Mass. where Milt is with the Solvay Process of Allied Chemical Corp.

Herb '54 and Pat (Fortier) Doten are living in Augusta at 37 Capitol St., where Herb is employed by the State Highway Commission as a civil engineer. They have two daughters—Debora Ann and Dorothy Alice.

So many of you have sent me letters and notes telling about your doings—many thanks to all of you for keeping in touch. I appreciate the time you take to drop me a line!

1957 Mrs. Gary Beaulieu
(Jane Caton)
11 Meadow St., Danbury, Conn.

Hi Kids!

Just a short column as the Beaulieu family is on the move *Again!* No, we're not bill dodgers, and we're not following the crops. Just a little gypsy blood, I guess. We're on our way north again—his time to New Hampshire. I'll let you know our new address as soon as we know it!

I had a little note from Pat (Ridley) Ervin. She, Jim '56, and 5-month son, Paul, are living at their new home: Bigelow St., Marlboro, Mass. Jim is employed at the Raytheon Co. in Maynard, Mass.

I saw Daisy Raymond recently, when she spent the weekend with us. Daisy's teaching English and Religion at Holy Cross Academy in New York, a parochial high school for girls. She's living at home—34-21 78th St., Jackson Heights, Long Island, N. Y.

Frank Hayward is teaching Vo-Ag at New Boston High, Goffstown, N. H.

Also heard from Alan Walton who's stationed at Fort Knox 'til June when he plans to return to attend summer school at Maine. He's engaged to Elisabeth McCullough of Calais. Elisabeth is a '59 grad of Gorham State. Alan's address is CoA 3d Med TK BN—33rd Armor—Ft Knox, Ky. All those numbers look like greek to me, so I hope I got them right!

Skip Noonan is training with the Armstrong Cork Co. Address UNKNOWN!

George Levensaler is employed with the Great Northern Paper Co. in Millinocket.

Nancy Townsend and Vincent Trincia were wed recently. Nancy is teaching at Viola Rand School at Bradley while Vincent is working for his master's at Maine. Their home is 426 Center St., Old Town, Me.

Also married are Mary Ellen Dunroe and Robert Fleming. Bob manages an auto parts business in Fort Worth—Address 1303 Northwest 18th St., Fort Worth, Texas.

Joining the married ranks, too, were Jan Malcolm and Keith Logan. Jan is teaching Home Ec at Brunswick High and Keith is teacher-coach at Livermore Falls High.

1958 Miss Kathie Vickery
Southwest Harbor
1st Reunion, June 3-5, 1960

Today's zero cold makes spring hard to believe, but wonderful to look forward to, especially in view of our First Reunion coming up June 3, 4, and 5. Be sure to keep those dates in mind and free, and the '58ers will make the Orono Campus buzz again!

Onward now to this month's news:

Army 2nd Lt. Ken Eaton recently completed the ten week officer rotary wing qualification course at the Primary Helicopter School at Camp Wolters, Texas. This is a course designed to train Army aviators in helicopter flying techniques and the employment of rotary aircraft for observation missions. Ken entered the Army a year ago and was last stationed at Fort Eustis, Va.

Stanwood Pullen writes that he is now doing graduate work in the Department of Agricultural Economics at U Conn. in Storrs, Conn. Most impressive sounding, Stan!

Stan Borodko is employed by Northern Chemical Industries. His address—Mount Ephraim Rd., Searsport.

To Ken and Connie (Eno) Tryon go our heartiest congratulations on the recent birth of a son, Philip. The family residence is 11 Juliet St., Bay Shore, L. I., New York.

Wed in Connecticut shortly before Christmas were Julia Ann Currie '60 and Sigma Nu Robert Duckworth. Bob is a lieutenant in the Army. Re-

serve and on the engineering staff of the Norwald Company, Inc., Conn.

Good wishes also to newly-weds Morrill and Mary Jo (Skomro '60) Smith, who were married in New York City. Mary Jo is now a senior at Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center, N. Y. C., and Morrill is assistant boys' program director at the YMCA of Madison, N. J. The couple's home address is 83 Brooklake Rd., Florham, N. J.

New Year's engagements are in the news this month—

Bob McCourt, Second Lieutenant in Uncle Sam's Army on Governor's Island, New York City, is planning a July 4 wedding to Miss Carla King. Mrs. McCourt to be is a senior Home Ec major at Farmington State Teachers' College.

Fred Irish will wed Lenora Bennington, who is working toward a B.S. degree in nursing at B. U. October is the big month for this pair.

Lee Alain and Merry Hartman will be married in the spring. Lee is an engineer for RCA in Moorsetown, N. J., where Merry, a Lindon Hall graduate, is employed as a secretary.

Mary Jane McCarthy, who holds the position of head of the Department of Home Economics at Hueneme High School, Oxnard, Calif., is engaged to Dr. Ben Stoeber, a graduate of the Pacific University College of Optometry, Forest Grove, Oregon. MJ and her doctor are planning a June wedding.

The very best of luck to all you prospective brides and grooms!

Fin! for this month. See you all in Orono when the ice goes out?

1959 Miss Suzanne Dunn
21 Chauncey St., Apt. 44
Cambridge, Mass.

Some past marriages of which I have just received news are the following:

Roger '58 and Gloria (Thomas) Dinsmore were married in Greene. They are making their home in Portland, where Gloria is a social worker for the State Dept. of Health and Welfare and Roger is field supervisor for the Travelers Insurance Co.

Morrill '58 and Mary Jo (Skomro) Smith, married in New York City, are making their home at 83 Brooklake Rd., Florham Park, N. J. Morrill is assistant boys program director at the Y.M.C.A., Madison, N. J.

Vinnie and Nancy (Townsend '57) Trincia, mar-

ried at Biddeford, are now residing at 426 Center St., Old Town.

Don and Lynne (Marble '60) Piper were married December 31 in Wilton. Don is now serving with the U. S. Army in Germany.

Norm and Judith (Mills) Merrill were married at Bradford, Mass. Judith is a graduate of Fisher Jr. College. Norm has just completed the ten-week officer basic course at the Transportation School, Fort Eustis, Va.

More catching up on employed '59ers shows the following:

George Sewall has accepted employment with the Glidden Co. of Baltimore, Md., in their research laboratory.

Robert Wilshire is enrolled in pilot training with the U. S. Air Force.

Weldon S. Brackett is employed with Dielectric Products Engineering Co. of Raymond. His home is in Naples.

Peggy Mahar is now employed as a service representative with the Telephone Co. of Lewiston. Her address is 400 College St., Lewiston.

Enid Marshall is employed with the Dept. of the Army in Washington, D. C. She may be reached c/o Mrs. V. A. Crowder, 3800 West St., N.W., Washington, D. C.

Andy Newbert has just begun his third three-month assignment on General Electric's technical marketing program in Pittsburgh, Pa. His address is 6401 Fifth Ave., Pittsburgh 6, Pa.

Jim Viola is teaching math, French, and business at Newport. In his spare time he is representing Field Enterprises Educational Corp in that area. He and family may be reached at 86 Elm St., Newport.

Tammy (Martha) Welch is doing graduate work at Rutgers University, where she has received a U. S. Public Health Service Grant.

Torrey Sylvester has just completed a sixteen-week course at Officer Candidate School, Newport, R. I. and has been assigned to the U. S. Conway out of Norfolk, Va.

Other engagements which have been announced are: Ann Proctor to Stephen Wing, Meredith Malbon of Endicott Jr. College to W. Barrett Lovejoy, Jr., and Janice Balabas of Westbrook Jr. College to Stephen Squiers.

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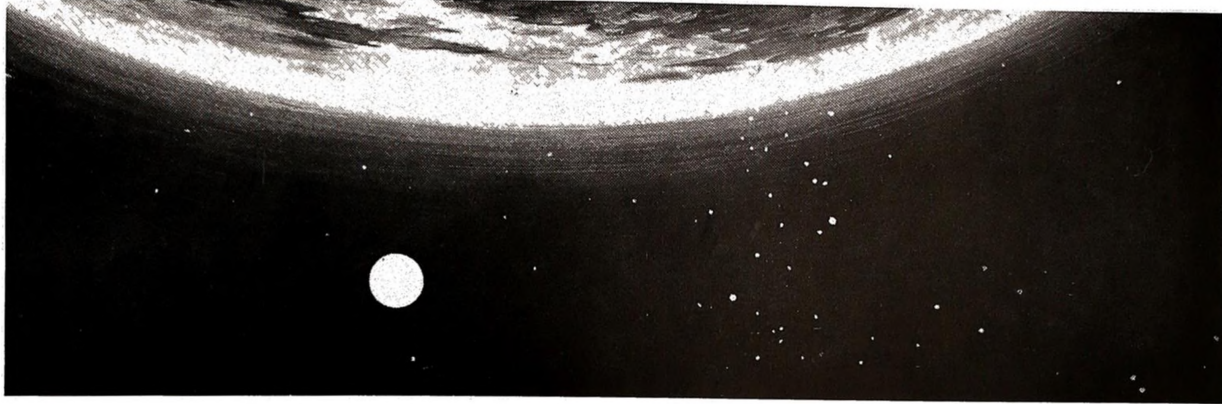
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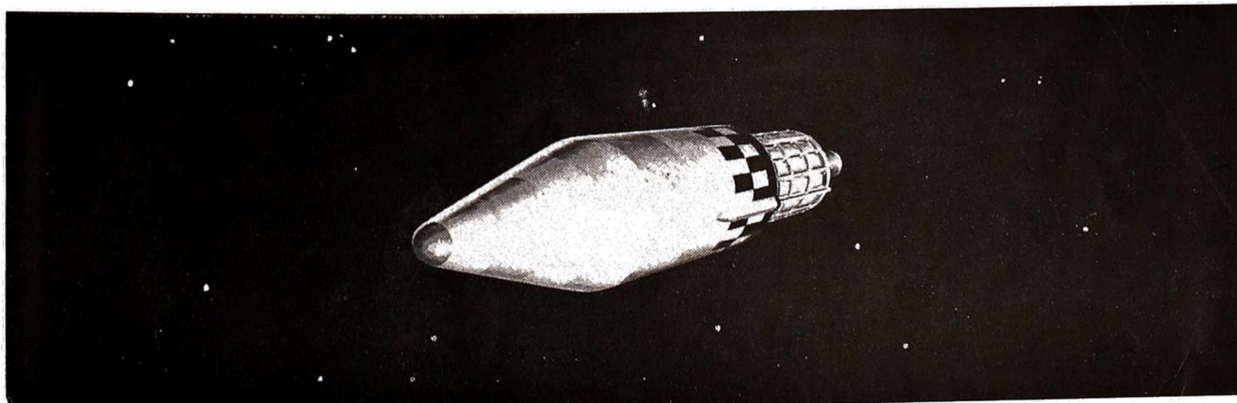
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The First Newspaper

Portland's first regular newspaper was called the Falmouth Gazette and Weekly Advertiser. Volume 1, No. 1, is dated January 1, 1785. Benjamin Titcomb and Thomas B. Wait were responsible for this endeavor, which continued from that date for some years after.

The first issue, which may be seen at the library of the Maine Historical Society, is of four pages, somewhat smaller than our present-day newspapers, but larger than what we know today as "tabloid" newspapers. It has a very deep masthead and three columns of type.

Even the first issue contained advertisements. One Abraham Osgood "from London" offers an assortment of "English Goods and Hard Ware to be sold FOR CASH CHEAP at his store on King-Street (now Congress)." In another, James Fosdick "at his Store in Middle-Street offers an assortment of English and West-India goods, Philadelphia Bar-Iron, New England Rum per Barrell . . ." also for CASH.

Further on, William Pratt "from London has just imported in the brigantine John, a quantity of goods, for which cash will be given . . . inquire at the Store of Joseph McLellan and Son."

There's a "Public Notice that the Court of General Sessions of the Peace stands adjourned to Wednesday at three o'clock at the House of Mr. Alice Greele . . ."—evidently typographical errors being common in those days, as now.

The left hand column on the front page carries a notice "TO THE PUBLIC: From the generous encouragement of a number of Respectable Gentlemen in Falmouth . . . we have undertaken to Publish a weekly News Paper . . . We hope it will meet with General Approbation . . ."

And this plea:

"Our Subscribers will recollect . . . this Gazette, three months in advance was to be Paid on receiving the First Number. If to avoid the inconvenience of making just this Sum any Gentleman should be inclined to pay three Shillings, or any larger Sum, he shall be credited with the Same . . . and, as the Setting up of this Press has been attended with some extraordinary Expense, will be Thankfully received."



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